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The New York Times.

THE WEATHER.
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KILL ALDRICH BILL BY UNANIMOUS VOTE

House Committee Concludes That No Bill Making Radical Changes Is Needed.

FAVORS A COMMISSION

Vreeland Currency Measure Will Have One Formal Hearing, Which Is Expected to Settle Discussion.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, April 17.—By a unanimous vote the House Banking and Currency Committee to-day decided to table the Aldrich bill, as was predicted in this morning's TIMES. At the special request of Mr. Vreeland, his bill, from which so much was hoped by the Republican leaders in the House, will receive a single hearing to-morrow morning. The committee expects that this one hearing will bring discussion on this measure to a close and the Fowler commission bill will then be taken up in good earnest.

As expressed by a member of the committee to-day, the hearing on the Vreeland bill to-morrow is regarded as mostly formal, an act of fairness to its author. The committee is determined that when the requirements of courtesy are thus met the real issue will be brought to the front.

After eight days of continuous hearings on the Aldrich bill, which the Vreeland measure was intended slightly to amend, the members of the committee are practically unanimous in the opinion that the real issue has nothing to do with any bill making radical changes in the present financial system.

The committee is largely actuated in this decision by a poll of the House Republicans taken two weeks ago by Mr. Hill of Connecticut. His count revealed an overwhelming opposition to the Senate bill, considerably less opposition to Mr. Fowler's bill, and a strong sentiment in favor of a currency commission such as the new Fowler bill provides.

Little Hope for Vreeland Bill.

Meanwhile, in the face of unanimous action of the committee, and speeches to-day by Representatives Burton of Ohio, and Hill of Connecticut, in which they lined up with the committee, the talk about a Republican caucus to force through the Vreeland measure is growing more indefinite. The date for the Republican meeting has gone over from the first of the week to the latter part, and instead of a caucus, it is now proposed to hold only a conference, which is not binding upon the members who attend.

Speaker Cannon grew very angry to-day when asked if it were true that the opposition that has recently developed against all variations of the Aldrich bill had decided the House leaders to abandon the plan for a caucus. But he refused to deny the story. The newspapers, he declared, have been printing one "think" story one day and a "think" denial of it the next.

Mr. Burton in his speech did not argue directly for or against the various pending measures. But he made a strong plea for belief in the stability of the country, and in the fact that the recent panic could not recur, and that never again could such distress as was experienced in 1873 and 1893 be repeated. This coincides exactly with the arguments of the witnesses before the committee, and was regarded as an argument against both the bills that provide for sweeping changes at present.

Acute Distress Impossible.

"The present depression will not compare in severity with that of 1873 or 1893," he said, "nor is it probable that at any time in the future the distress in business communities will be so great as in those years. Among the reasons for this conclusion especially applicable to our own country are the following:

"1. The enormous increase in gold production, which, although unduly stimulating enterprise, makes the meeting of obligations easier, and gives ready means for the organization of new undertakings.

"2. The greater degree of skill in financial management, and in all the branches of business, and, closely associated with this, the greater degree of co-operation between business and financial organizations and interests, both National and international.

"3. The improved access to foreign markets and the growth of trade relations with the whole world make it more easy to dispense with surpluses as well as giving a wider field for disposing of our own products, and thus a more prompt recovery in time of slackened demands at home.

"4. Even the consolidation of industries, notwithstanding valid objections and the danger of monopolization and oppressive control, makes it more readily possible to foresee future conditions, and to check needless or ruinous competition."

Hill Against Vreeland Bill.

Mr. Hill went over in great measure the ground he covered in a two hours' speech early in the session. He did not attack the Vreeland bill by name, though several of the measures he criticised are left in that bill. The expiration of his time prevented him from approving the plan for a currency commission, which he defended at length in his earlier effort.

The physical obstacles, said Mr. Hill, are enough in themselves to prevent the Aldrich bill being useful as an emergency measure. He said that the initial cost of starting the bill in operation would be $5,000,000, spent in new vaults, new steel-engraved plates, shipment, &c., and that it would take at least two years before the provision of the bill, which is meant as a ready "makeshift," could become effective.

Furthermore, he declared, there is in the Treasury already $40,000,000 of banknotes awaiting redemption, while the new bill would make it possible for $500,000,000 more banknotes to be suddenly dumped into the Treasury for redemption. The Government now has a gold reserve of only $150,000,000, he pointed out, while the deficit is growing steadily.

DON'T MISS SUNDAY'S AMERICAN.

Six sections in brilliant colors to-morrow; a splendid painting, and a package of Easter Egg Dyes, besides a great newspaper—all for five cents.—Adv.

ROOSEVELT AND RACING.

President Declined to Take Any Attitude, Congressman Cocks Writes.

State Senator George B. Agnew, at the headquarters of the Republican organization of the Twenty-seventh Assembly District, made public last night the following letter from Congressman Cocks, illustrating the attitude of President Rosevelt on Gov. Hughes's race track bills:

House of Representatives,
Washington, D. C.,
April 16, 1908.

Senator George B. Agnew, Senate Chamber, Albany, N. Y.:

My Dear Senator: Your letter of the 14th was duly received, and in view of the fact that there seems to have been a great deal of misunderstanding relative to the position of the President on race track legislation, you may make public this letter if you care to.

Repeated requests have been made to the President to take part on one side or the other in the various matters before the present session of the New York Legislature, including the race-track controversy. The President has declined on every occasion to have anything to do one way or the other with any of these matters.

It is not fair to assume that the attitude of William Barnes, Jr., as expressed in his newspaper, or in various newspaper interviews, nor the vote of Seator Grattan, nor the vote of Senator Burr, in any way indicated the attitude of the President in this matter.

In your telegram of the 7th inst. you asked me to obtain the assurance of the President that he was not exerting any influence against the racing bill. I thought I made a specific answer when I stated that "the President is not interfering, and has not interfered, in any matter of State legislation," and that "the President's name must not be brought into the controversy."

On the day I wired you I telegraphed Senator Burr on my own initiative, advising him to be with the Governor on the race track bill. Yours sincerely,

WILLIAM M. COCKS.

Senator Agnew had no comment to make on the letter.

LIVE CHICKS IN SUGAR EGGS.

An Easter Feature for Hotel Knickerbocker Guests To-morrow.

Sixty yellow chicks arrived yesterday at the Hotel Knickerbocker in Times Square, and will spend Easter Sunday in town. They have come from their Long Island country seat, or poultry yard, to regale the Sunday diners in the Knickerbocker with a true Easter spirit. After participating in this feast they will return to the tall grass.

The sixty chickens will make their appearance at the dinner hour to-morrow, and they will arrive at the tables in comfortable sugar eggs. From their sugar prisons they will be released by breaking the shell, and the tiny chickens will hop across the tables and endure philosophically tho "Isn't it cute?" and "Come to me, cunning" of the women diners.

Meanwhile the chickens are enjoying unwonted luxury as guests of the hotel. They live in a crate, upholstered in cotton wadding, and the temperature is quite as comfortable as that of the maternal incubator. Gastaud, the hotel chef, has prepared a concoction dedicated especially to the poultry guests, and this is called "Farine a la Times Square."

Last night Manager Barney, after showing his Easter offerings, said: "There is no cruelty in this, whatever. The chickens will be bundled off after dinner to their crate, and sent back to the Long Island farm. We shall be careful that they are not injured, and imprisoning them in the sugar egg will not hurt them in the least."

LIFE PLEASANT AT 101.

How Morris Miller, Who Enjoys Good Things, Has Found It.

It was 101 years yesterday since Morris Miller, now living at 416 East Eighty-first Street, was born in Warsaw, Russia. He rises early, but does not speak the English language. He drinks brandy, but only in small quantities. He also drinks tea, but it must be clear and without sugar. Moreover, he is exceedingly devout. He always attends the little church at First Avenue and Seventy-ninth Street. He says that any one can live to a ripe old age if they will live regularly.

At the age of sixty years, Mr. Miller, having lost his first wife, decided that he would marry again and emigrate to America. He came here forty years ago, made some money peddling, and then set up a butcher's shop. He grew prosperous, but continued to head the business until he was ninety years old, when he turned it over to one of his younger sons.

He was blessed with three children after his sixtieth year. By his first wife he had four. All the children are married now and he lives with his good wife in three rooms of a tenement.

Mrs. Miller says that Mr. Miller's appetite has been little affected by time. He came in yesterday morning at 11:30 o'clock from a walk around the block, during which he passed the time of day with some of his fifty-year cronies, and one of the first things he asked was this, in Russian:

"Is it nearly ready?"

She knew from experience what he was talking about.

DISPUTE OVER LENTEN FAST.

Rector Prohibits His Family Attending a Dinner Sanctioned by Bishop.

Special to The New York Times.

TOPEKA, Kan., April 17.—Dean J. P. De Kaye, rector of Grace Cathedral of Topeka, has decreed that members of his family shall not attend the ante-wedding dinner given by Chauncey Dewey at the Topeka Club Saturday evening because the Lenten fast season is not ended. In doing this he has caused a commotion in Episcopal circles in Topeka, as Bishop Millspaugh has given his consent to the dinner, and his daughter, the bride-to-be, and her sister, the maid of honor, will attend.

Miss Elvira Millspaugh and Chauncey Dewey are to be married Monday evening, and with the exception of a luncheon Monday noon this dinner to the bridal party is the only pre-nuptial affair arranged. The dinner, as planned by Mr. Dewey, is to be an elaborate affair, and he made no arrangements for it until he had obtained the full consent of the Bishop in charge of the Kansas diocese.

Dean De Kaye holds that the Lenten fast season begins at midnight forty days before Easter and ends at midnight Saturday night. Bishop Millspaugh says that a strict construction of the Church law might be construed to mean this, but he contends that there is no letter of the law or obligation which warrants such decision.

THOMAS AT SEATTLE ON WAY TO SIBERIA

Will Start for Vladivostok To-day on Last Stage of Paris Race.

CREW SURE THEY'LL WIN

Steamship Bertha, Which Brought American Car from Alaska, Narrowly Escaped Shipwreck.

66TH DAY OF THE RACE.

Car.	Reported.	Distance.
*Thomas	Valdez	6036
†Zust	Seattle	4836
†De Dion	Seattle	4836
‡Protos	Pocatello, Ida.	2966

*Found Alaskan trails impassable and returned to Seattle, arriving there yesterday. Sails to-day for Vladivostok to cross Asia and Europe to Paris.
†Sailed for Yokohama Tuesday en route to Paris via Vladivostok. Due Yokohama April 29.
‡Shipped to Seattle to catch to-day's steamer.

From the Staff Correspondent of THE NEW YORK TIMES with the Racers.

SEATTLE, Washington, April 17.—The steamship Bertha, with the Thomas car, American competitor in the New York to Paris automobile race aboard, arrived this morning from Valdez, Alaska, making a record trip for speed through what is known as the inside route. It was only by the narrowest margin that the New York to Paris race, so far as the American car is concerned, did not come to an untimely and perhaps a tragic end on a rocky island in the Wrangel Narrows.

All the inside waters of Alaska are full of abrupt reefs and islands of rock, and the ship in navigating these waters worms its way through, making many sharp and unexpected turns. For some reason the Federal Government has failed to safeguard this stretch of water by lighthouses, beacons, and buoys.

The pilot must pick his course along entirely by landmarks. This is often made impossible by the dense blinding snow-squalls, which any passing cloud may hatch at the least expected moment. These squalls suddenly blow out of adjacent ravines, blotting out the course ahead, and, moving swiftly forward, enshroud the ship. Capt. Olsen of the Bertha entered into the spirit of the race, and did his best to get all the speed possible out of the Bertha.

Nearly Wrecked on Island.

The Bertha made the quickest trip on record to Juneau, the first stop, on Sunday night. The next morning she made Wrangel Narrows. The channel here is winding and narrow, and can only be made at full tide.

Twice in making these narrows, Capt. Olsen was obliged to drop anchor and wait for a snow squall to blow over. While trying to feel his way slowly through the tail end of the second squall, a rocky island suddenly loomed up fifty feet dead ahead. The Captain, who was on the bridge, rang for full speed astern.

He just saved jamming the Bertha's nose hard on the rocks, and adding her name to the long nautical obituary list of these waters. The Bertha passed the hulls of three vessels wrecked during the past two years, gaunt reminders of the dangers of navigation in these waters. Almost every point and reef has its story of shipwreck.

At midnight the Bertha ran into the last snow squall in the Tongas Narrows, off the town of Ketchikan, and was again obliged to drop anchor. The next morning she entered British waters. The Canadian Government has amply protected these by lighthouses and beacons. Good speed was made from this point, though held back by stiff head winds through the Gulf of Georgia.

The wireless telegraph operator on the Bertha made repeated attempts to get news of the Thomas's competitors. The surrounding mountains interfered. It was not till last night in Haro Strait that he succeeded in reaching Victoria. The Thomas crew then got its first definite news of the whereabouts of its competitors since leaving Seattle on April 1.

The crew learned that the Italian Zust and French De Dion cars were shipped on the Aki Maru to Yokohama.

With the exception of a slight lead that the Italian Zust got coming out of Buffalo, and which was wiped out before the day was over, the Thomas car for the first time since leaving Times Square has a stern chase ahead. But the Thomas crew is not worrying. The present expectation is that the Thomas and Protos will sail on the steamer Glenlogan for Vladivostok to-morrow evening.

NEW THOUGHT FOR SNAKES.

Tale from William Snyder Regarding a Cobra Experiment.

The New Thought was called upon yesterday at the Bronx Zoo to assist in the recapture of two wild cobras from India. They had come with a large assignment of creeping things from foreign parts on Thursday night, and in the hurry of assigning apartments to the new arrivals the keepers had put the cobras in cages with reptiles of a considerably lower class than the cobras considered themselves to be.

In moving them from one set of apartments to others more congenial yesterday morning, Curator Ditmars and Keepers Snyder and Toomey allowed them to wriggle out on the floor of the Reptile House. The movers went out of the house immediately. They returned wearing blinkers—since cobras are said to throw poison a goodly way—and armed with long poles, to poke at the reptiles from a safe distance.

The movers found the cobras in a small alleyway behind the cages. They put an open-mouthed box at the head of the alleyway, and then mounted the roof of the cages to poke them into the temporary cage. Well, the cobras would not go into the box. They slipped and slid this way and that, and spat up at the movers, but into the box they would not go.

"Sit still and think hard. Just will that they move into the box. It's a new scheme. Read it in the pape to-day," suggested Keeper Snyder, tensely. 'Go in, go in, go in, cobras.'"

The movers sat still, so thinking. Presently the cobras moved into the box. They were then easily moved to their proper apartments.

Keeper Snyder related the matter yesterday afternoon, it being Good Friday.

EXPLAINS FAT MEN'S STRUT.

Prof. Robinson Also Gives the Reason for Their Fierce Looks.

Special Cable to THE NEW YORK TIMES.

PARIS, April 17.—"Why do fat men walk with a proud carriage, and, despite their joviality, often have a fierce look in the eye?" was the question discussed at length to-day before the French Academy of Sciences by Prof. Robinson, the eminent savant.

He expounded a complicated and highly technical explanation showing that the repletion of the stomach has the effect of drawing up the diaphragm and shortening the base of the thorax, thus lengthening the waist. The mechanical effect of this is that the stout, well-fed man is forced to strut.

"At the same time," he said, "a very stout person is inclined to have a fierce look in his eye because the socket in which the eyeball moves is encumbered with adipose tissue.

ARMY BALLOON MAKES FLIGHT

Intended to Go South, but Landed Near Baltimore.

Special to The New York Times.

BALTIMORE, April 17.—Army Balloon No. 10 passed over Baltimore this evening, and came to earth just before dusk in the northern suburbs. In the balloon were Lieut. F. S. Lahm of the Signal Service Bureau, Capt. Van Horn of the President's Staff, Lieut. T. Selfridge, and Ralph A. Collins.

It was an experimental voyage, and the intention was to proceed south, but the wind carried the balloon in a northerly direction. It left Washington at 2:17, passing over Montgomery and Howard Counties, and when it reached Ellicott City was 7,000 feet above the earth.

Here the balloon drifted eastwardly across Anne Arundel County, traversing the Patapsco and Spring Gardens, where it entered this city.

By this time it had dropped to 600 feet and the voyagers were busy throwing out ballast. So near were they to the ground that the outlines of the figures in the car were distinctly seen from Baltimore Street. In spite of efforts to remain aloft, the balloon finally landed on the estate of Robert Jenkins.

SUBWAY FIRE UNDER RIVER.

Passengers in a Panic as Smoke Fills the Cars—Guards Put Out Blaze.

Defective insulation about the shoe on the third car of an eight-car express train bound for West Farms caused the train to come to a sudden halt shortly after 6 o'clock last night in the tunnel beneath the Harlem River. Loud explosions followed, and blue and red flames leaped up around the sides of the car, which rapidly filled with smoke.

The train was packed with passengers, and as the smoke filled the cars there was a panic. Passengers in the third car felt the heat of the flames and rushed screaming for the doors.

The guards slammed these shut and shouted to the passengers that there was no danger. The flames leaped around the car, and the passengers refused to be reassured.

At last, however, the fire was put out by the guards and train crew, and after the shoe on the third car had been lifted out of contact with the live rail the train ran direct to 149th Street, where nearly every passenger left the train.

The accident tied up the service through the tunnel for half an hour in the worst of the rush hour.

KILLED BY HIS FIRE TRUCK.

Edward Busch of Metuchen, N. J., Run Over Responding to an Alarm.

Special to The New York Times.

NEW BRUNSWICK, N. J., April 17.—Edward Busch, proprietor of Metuchen Inn at Metuchen, N. J., a famous automobile headquarters, was instantly killed this afternoon at Metuchen by the hose carriage of the Hook and Ladder Company of which he was a member.

The company was called out to extinguish a couple of railroad ties of the Lehigh Valley Railroad, an alarm for which some extremely zealous person had turned in. Mr. Busch was one of the first to catch the truck's rope, and he had scarcely run a dozen steps when he tripped and fell in front of the wheels, two of which passed over his chest and instantly killed him.

Mr. Busch was formerly employed at Sherry's and the Waldorf-Astoria. Then he opened Metuchen Inn. He was single, and lived with his mother and sister. He was 43 years of age.

FIREBUG'S WORK IN NEWARK.

House Set Afire Last Night for Fifth Time in as Many Weeks.

Special to The New York Times.

NEWARK, N. J., April 17.—For the fifth time in as many weeks, and for the second night in succession, a fire, unquestionably of incendiary origin, was discovered between 11 and 12 o'clock last night in the dwelling 35 and 37 Halsey Street, Newark. The fire began in the garret in No. 37, and the entire roof and upper part of the house was destroyed.

Detectives have been working on the case since the discovery of an incendiary fire in a room on the second floor of the same house on Thursday night, but were not around when the fire was discovered last night. Nothing was found to show how it started. Several persons who live in the house were detained until questioned by the police, but their names were withheld.

Five weeks ago a fire was discovered in a third-story room. Later another fire occurred, but neither did much damage. Last week the beds in four rooms were found to be saturated with kerosene, and all were on fire at the same time and the lives of a dozen persons endangered. A can partly filled with oil was found on a rear stairway.

During last night's blaze George McCarthy, who lives in No. 35, and who discovered three of the previous fires, was attacked by epilepsy and had to be taken to a hospital.

CAYUGA SALT WORKS BURN.

8,000 Tons of Salt Consumed—Flames Visible Ten Miles.

Special to The New York Times.

ITHACA, N. Y., April 17.—The main building of the Cayuga Lake Salt Company, now a branch of the International Salt Company, at Ludlowville, was destroyed by fire early this morning.

The flames could be seen from Ithaca, ten miles away. Eight thousand tons of salt were consumed, and the property damage is estimated at more than $200,000. Two hundred men are out of work.

MINISTER A SUICIDE AFTER BETROTHAL

The Rev. George W. Tomson of Woodbury, N. J., Shoots Himself in a Hotel.

SOON TO HAVE WED A WIDOW

Engagement Was Announced Only Four Days Ago, When Another Woman Denounced Him.

Special to The New York Times.

PHILADELPHIA, April 17.—The Rev. George W. Tomson, pastor of the Woodbury, N. J., Presbyterian Church, and Chairman of the Board of Foreign Missions of the Presbytery of West Jersey, was found dead in a room at the Newton Hotel at Woodbury, N. J., to-day. He had committed suicide by shooting.

The suicide came four days after the announcement of Mr. Tomson's engagement to Mrs. Fannie R. Kenworthy, a wealthy widow, and two days after he had been denounced before a meeting of Sunday school teachers by Miss Helen Moore, to whom he had presented costly gifts. A rumor that he had also been sued for breach of promise by another young woman was circulated through Woodbury last night.

The clergyman's body was found in the hotel room after an all-night search for him, instituted at the request of his fiancée, with whom he had failed to keep an engagement made for Thursday night. The body was found by a maid after the room in which he lay dead had been once searched. Rumors that the minister might have been the victim of a jealous woman were heard in Woodbury to-night. Prosecutor Alex Rogers and Coroner James Hunter, however, asserted that Mr. Tomson had committed suicide and had not been murdered.

His Betrothal Announced.

A queer chain of circumstances preceded the pastor's death. He was a widower 54 years old. Before a meeting of the Ladies' Aid Society of the Presbyterian Church, held Monday night, it was announced for the first time that he and Mrs. Kenworthy were betrothed. Mrs. Kenworthy is Secreary of the society, but was not present Monday night. She and Mr. Tomson had agreed to delegate a friend to tell of the engagement.

The news that their pastor and Mrs. Kenworthy were engaged and that the marriage would be celebrated next Tuesday caused a flutter of surprise among the throng of women present. That night almost every member of the congregation knew of the engagement, and the next day the entire town was apprised of it. On Tuesday Mr. Tomson walked into the office of a daily newspaper in the town and had a notice of the engagement inserted in that day's issue. It was a well-known fact that the clergyman had been a frequent caller at the Kenworthy residence, in Hunter Street, but as Mr. Tomson had faithfully fulfilled his pastoral rounds, no one knew that in the course of them he had courted Mrs. Kenworthy, a woman of 40, with a grown daughter.

On Wednesday night the Sunday school teachers held their meeting in the church building, and Miss Helen Moore, a dark-eyed brunette, about 35 years old, was present. The room was crowded. Miss Moore, who had always been regarded as a very close personal friend of Mr. Tomson, caused a sensation when she arose and tendered her resignation as a teacher in the school.

Denounced as "Hypocrite."

Miss Moore and the clergyman lived on the same floor of the Newton Hotel. A bond of friendship existed between them ever since Miss Moore had acted as a nurse during the last illness of the pastor's wife. Night and day Miss Moore attended to Mrs. Tomson until she died. That was a year and a half ago. Pressed for a reason for her resignation, Miss Moore said that she would never again enter the Presbyterian Church while Mr. Tomson was pastor.

"He is a hypocrite," she is reported to have said, as she burst into tears. She told of the gifts lavished upon her by the clergyman, and exhibited to her astounded fellow-teachers a gold watch she said he had given her. She said he had also given her a set of expensive furs.

Later that night Miss Moore is believed to have seen the clergyman, and, it is said, a violent scene ensued. Miss Moore is alleged to have said that she would not permit the minister to marry any other woman. The quarrel between the pair was overheard by several members of the congregation. It occurred in a hallway in the church.

"I will not permit any other woman to come between us," Miss Moore is reported to have said. "You owe me all the love and devotion due to a wife, and I won't permit you to desert me."

Pastor Spoke of Scandals.

Later that night, after a meeting of the Missionary Board, Edward S. Kromer, Treasurer of the church and cashier of the National Liberties Bank, met the pastor in the hallway. He had just left Miss Moore, and she was greatly agitated. Mr. Tomson was pacing up and down the hall, greatly excited. Mr. Kromer halted him. The minister pulled at his hair.

"All these scandals about other women are not true," he muttered. "They are linking my name with a lot of women. There is not a bit of truth in their vile stories."

Mr. Kromer, much troubled by the hysterical condition of the minister, left him and went to another part of the church. Five minutes later he heard a noise as of a fall and found Mr. Tomson prostrate at the foot of a flight of stairs. He was moaning as though badly injured.

"Are you seriously hurt?" Mr. Kromer asked, bending over him.

"No, unfortunately," Mr. Tomson replied. Then he scrambled to his feet and brushed off his clothing with trembling hands. He then hurried from the building.

On Thursday, when Mr. Tomson was last seen alive, he visited Philadelphia, where Miss Moore is employed as a stenographer in a wholesale grocery house. After the scene in the church she packed a suitcase and left the Newton Hotel.

Mr. Tomson returned to Woodbury about 4 o'clock this afternoon. A half hour later, following an invariable custom, he visited the post office, then went to his room. He was not seen again till his body was found to-day.

Scalp Torn Off; Sewn On Again.

ELIZABETH, N. J., April 17.—Ida Ozes, the eleven-year-old daughter of Henry Ozes, a newsdealer of Roselle Park, was delivering papers for her father at the Shedd Electric Company's plant at Aldene to-day. She dodged under a moving shaft and her hair caught and her scalp was torn completely from her head. She was brought to the hospital in a fast automobile, and the scalp was stitched on. There is fair hope that it will heal.

King Receives C. A. Griscom.

ROME, April 17.—King Victor Emmanuel to-day received in private audience Clement A. Griscom of Philadelphia, father of Lloyd C. Griscom, United States Ambassador to Italy. The reception of Mr. Griscom was most cordial.

SHOWERS FOR EASTER.

The Parades Are Likely to Be Held Between Wettings.

The sun may shine to-morrow, and the Easter parades may be for the unalloyed delight of all, but, according to the Weather Bureau, it will be between showers if it so happens. "Showers and warmer" is the official prediction for this region. "Generally fair" is promised for the rest of the country, except for possible showers in the Northwest.

$3,000,000 YIELD IN ALASKA.

Miners May Realize Biggest Spring Production in Territory's History.

SEATTLE, Washington, April 17.—According to special cable advices from Nome, Alaska, bankers and miners of Seward peninsula expect to realize this year the largest Spring production in the history of Alaska. It will probably reach $3,000,000.

From all the camps reports have been received of unusually rich dumps piled up during the Winter season. A new tin find, said to be of immense promise, is reported from Brooks Mountain.

NEW SUBWAY NEWSSTANDS.

Another Style May Be Ordered to Displace the Present Kind.

A new style of newsstand will probably be introduced in the Subway stations before long. Some time ago the Public Service Commission complained to the Interborough Rapid Transit Company of the disused cigar stands, which it was declared, constituted eyesores and occupied valuable space in the stations. President E. P. Bryan of the company yesterday sent designs for new stands, which may meet the objections to the present stands.

The design is for an inclosed booth about 9 feet high and extending about 5 feet out from the wall into the station platform.

YACHT KEMAH LASHED IN GALE

New York Boat's Masts Are Carried Away Off Carolina Coast.

Special to The New York Times.

ELIZABETH CITY, N. C., April 17.—The steam yacht Kemah of New York arrived at this port at 4 o'clock this afternoon, disabled. The yacht was coming through Croatan Sound yesterday morning when a heavy north gale struck her, carrying away both her masts. The crew was compelled to cut away the broken parts and gear to save the yacht from driving ashore.

Otis H. Childs of Pittsburg, Penn., with three guests, had the yacht chartered, and had been wintering on the Florida Coast around Miami. They left Miami a few days ago, bound for New York. Mr. Childs and party will leave the yacht at Old Point. The yacht is owned by E. H. Norton of Wall Street, New York.

8 OF HER PET DOGS KILLED.

Miss Hunt Has Eleven Left, but Is Distressed Over Her Loss.

Eight dogs were suffocated and eleven rescued last night in a fire in the basement of the five-story apartment house at 181 West Sixty-third Street. All the animals belonged to Miss Josephine Hunt, and when she returned and found her pets suffocated she wept bitterly.

For many years Miss Hunt, who is about 35 years old, has lived in the basement of the house, and she has always had a large number of animals in her rooms. Whenever she saw a homeless animal in the street she would take it home, and last night there were a score of dogs in the four rooms.

After dinner last night Miss Hunt fed her pets and went out to do some shopping. Half an hour later fire was discovered in her rooms. The firemen easily extinguished the flames, but found eight of the dogs dead.

FAIL TO STOP GOW'S TRIAL.

Influential Men Plead In Vain to Have Borough Bank Case Postponed.

District Attorney Clarke of Kings County said yesterday that in the last two weeks he had been called upon to resist the most urgent appeals of men prominent in the financial and political world for a postponement of the trial of William Gow, who is under indictment charged with illegal practices in connection with the Borough Bank. Up to date these interventions have failed, and Mr. Clarke asserts that the trial will take place next Monday, as scheduled.

A peculiar feature of the case is the fact that some of the very men who a few months ago were loudest in their denunciation of Gow as the chief agent in the suspension of the bank are now clamoring for a postponement of the trial.

Assistant District Attorney Elder, who conducted the banking investigation last Fall, has also been approached in Mr. Gow's behalf.

A. Z. GRAYS GET A FALL.

Horse Bolts and They Are Thrown Out, but Little Hurt.

Special to The New York Times.

HEMPSTEAD, L. I., April 17.—Mr. and Mrs. Albert Zabriskie Gray had a narrow escape from serious injury to-day while driving from their home to attend the first polo game of the season at Meadow Brook. When driving in a light phaeton under the trestle near the clubhouse the horse took fright and bolted sharply to the side of the road.

The phaeton was overturned and Mr. and Mrs. Gray were thrown out. The animal did not run away, and Mr. Gray, crawling out from under the overturned vehicle, assisted his wife to her feet. She was thrown clear of the rig and escaped with only a few bruises. She assisted her husband in righting the phaeton, and this done Mrs. Gray declared that she would ride the rest of the way behind the same horse and she did.

New $1,500,000 Hotel for Chicago.

Special to The New York Times.

CHICAGO, April 17.—Papers were signed to-day for the erection of a new twenty-story hotel on Michigan Avenue. It is to be named the Blackstone, in honor of the late President of the Alton, and will be erected by Tracy C. and John B. Drake at a cost of $1,500,000.

Iron Mines Resume.

LEXINGTON, Ky., April 17.—The Ross Run Iron Mines, in Bath County, owned by Alabama and Mississippi capitalists, have resumed work after a shut-down during the financial stringency. This gives work to about 200 men.

By using Mecklenburg Lithia Water you can be relieved of Indigestion and kindred ills. Sold everywhere.—Adv.

M'CARREN WORKING ON PLAN OF REVOLT

Courts May Possibly Be Appealed to in the Effort to Beat Conners and Murphy.

TO HOLD CONFERENCE SOON

Conners's Work "Fat Headed," McCarren Says—Some Tammany Leaders Turn on Murphy.

Senator Patrick H. McCarren came down from Albany yesterday, and after a conference at the Hoffman House last night with Samuel A. Beardsley of Utica and some other up-State leaders, announced that within the next week or so the initiative would be taken in some organized protest against the conduct of State Chairman William J. Conners at the Democratic State Convention.

Whether this protest will take the form of a rump convention or not has not been decided as yet. There will be another conference within a few days, either in this city or somewhere up State, to complete the plans. Prominent Democrats from about thirty-five out of the sixty-one counties in the State will attend. Some of the men who are taking an interest in the movement besides the Brooklyn Senator are John B. Stanchfield, Samuel A. Beardsley, Patrick E. McCabe of Albany, Daniel Sheehan of Elmira, Lawyer Kellogg of Wyoming, Charles F. Rafferty of Cayuga, and Edward E. Coatesworth of Erie.

Senator McCarren intimated last night that some action might be taken to attack through the courts the methods employed by Chairman Conners in unseating delegates who had been legally designated and especially in robbing the delegates from the Senate districts of their time established right to select their own members on the State Committee.

Persons who had attended the convention averred yesterday that they had not heard any resolution passed, empowering the convention to select the State Committee instead of leaving that task to the caucus of delegates from counties constituting a Senatorial district. Some of the disgruntled leaders said that if a resolution of that nature had been introduced, they would have "dropped" in a minute and voted against it.

Shades of Tilden and Seymour!

"If the shades of Tilden and Seymour and some of our great leaders of former days could have returned long enough to be introduced to their successors," said Senator McCarren, when he appeared at the Hoffman House, "they would have hiked back to their graves again and been thankful that they did not live to see the day."

When asked what he thought of the manner in which the convention was conducted by Mr. Conners and his lieutenants, he said:

"I have been in the Legislature for twenty-six years and have talked myself hoarse advocating home rule. This is a cardinal principle of the Democratic Party to-day, as it was of the first settlers in this country. In this year of 1908, however, we are getting back to the days of George III., with all our liberties swept aside with one fell swoop by Chairman Conners."

Talking about the committee of twelve appointed at the meeting of the State Committee on Thursday to regulate Democratic affairs in counties and Assembly districts, Mr. McCarren said that Mr. Conners seemed to have entirely overlooked the fact that there was such a thing as a primary law.

"I am still the leader of the Kings County Democratic organization," said the Senator, "and despite anything that Conners and his Pretorian guard may do I will remain leader there, at least until the primaries in September. If the Democrats of Brooklyn see fit to depose me as leader then I will abide by their judgment without a murmur, but I don't think they will.

"The work done by Conners and his friends at the convention was fat-headed. The idea that any man or set of men can go out and decree who is the Democratic leader in any community is absurd. The election law and the primary law provide in the most specific manner how County Committees shall be organized and how leaders shall be elected, and no individual or group of individuals can undo by their say so what has been accomplished under the statute."

Senator McCarren was asked what effect the widespread discontent among the Democrats would have on the election next Fall.

"If we get to work and rectify the mistake made by our so-called leaders and repair the mischief they have done I think we have a good chance of carrying the State next Fall. If this is not done I don't need to make a diagram of what will happen," he said.

The Senator was asked if his prediction made from the platform of the convention, that if his delegates were ousted the local Democrats of the present generation would never live to see another Democrat elected Mayor of this city, was to be construed as a threat.

"Not at all," was his reply. "I only sounded a warning which every sensible man ought to know will come true if a small set of men are permitted to run rough shod over everybody else in the party and completely ignore their rights."

Senator McCarren declared positively that he still held a majority of the Executive Committee of the Kings County organization. Senator Conrad Hasenflug, who was seated on the State Committee in the Conners-Murphy reorganization, and whose loyalty to McCarren had been doubted on this account, came out with a statement yesterday in which he declared that he was with his old chief and would remain loyal to him to the end.

Some Tammany Men With McCarren.

Senator McCarren has been told by a number of influential men in Tammany Hall that they were out of sympathy with the unseating of himself and ten of his district delegations in the State Convention. Mayor McClellan's attitude toward the Brooklyn Senator is said to be, if not friendly, at least not antagonistic. Water Commissioner John H. O'Brien, who is credited with being the Mayor's close personal adviser, came out of the convention hall with McCarren. Controller Metz is tied to Senator McCarren by political and personal ties, and the organization in Brooklyn is not likely to be bereft of city patronage, at any rate as long as the relations between the Controller and the Senator remain what they are.

State Chairman Conners left yesterday morning for Rochester, where he was to meet William J. Bryan. Mr. Bryan is scheduled to make several speeches in this State. After conferring with the Nebraskan Mr. Conners intends to hurry on to Buffalo, where trouble is brewing in big bunches within the Democratic ranks, all on account of the seating on the State Committee of Henry P. Burgard, who is a close personal friend of Chair-

man Conners, in the place of Sheriff Smith of Erie County, who had defeated Burgard for the place in the caucus by 600 votes.

Chairman Edward E. Coatesworth of the Erie County Democratic Committee has raised the banner of revolt against Conners in his own home county, according to information which reached this city yesterday. One of the closest friends of the State Chairman said yesterday that Mr. Conners was preparing to send his Reconstruction Committee of Twelve into Erie County to build up a paper organization and put the stamp of regularity on it, as the committee may do under the resolution adopted by the State Committee on Thursday, unless Mr. Coatesworth will call off the revolt.

Bulger Says He Didn't Like Job.

Charles N. Bulger of Oswego, who as Chairman of the Committee on Credentials and Contested Seats aided materially in the work of throwing out the McCarren delegations, before leaving for his home last night said that he never took part in a more sickly job. That Bulger no longer is friendly to Chairman Conners was plain from his talk.

"Once forced to accept the Chairmanship of the committee, I regarded it my ethical duty to present the majority report and speak in its support," he said. "I guess everybody noticed that I did not have much to say in defense of the report.

"I think that in the end the effect on the organization will be for good. I like to believe that there still is some vitality left in the party, and perhaps now the responsible leaders in the party who have been talking about it for months will arise and repossess themselves of the machinery of the organization."

NOT LIKELY TO NOMINATE.

Democrats Prefer to Let Republicans Fight Out the Special Election.

Special to The New York Times.

LOCKPORT, N. Y., April 17.—Plans for the special election for the Fifty-seventh District, called for May 12, will not take shape until next week. To-night the leaders of both parties are at sea and the situation is a chaotic one.

The Niagara delegates to the Democratic State Convention returned from New York this morning. Conferences were held and it was announced that the Democrats would not nominate a candidate, preferring to let the Republicans fight their battle, which is between a Republican Governor and a Republican Legislature.

However, it is not at all certain that the Democrats will not nominate. Upon the surface it now looks as though no nomination will be made, but the matter is entirely in the hands of the State leaders, and they may order a nomination at any time. The Democratic plan is to hold their caucuses and nominate, but fail to file the nomination unless ordered by the ones higher up.

At Albion this evening a mass meeting was held, at which the candidacy of John W. Woods, Republican of that place, was indorsed. Mr. Woods is a strong supporter of the Governor, and he announced that he desired the special nomination only, that he would not accept a nomination for the regular term under any consideration.

DEFENDS CHANCELLOR DAY.

Did Not Cater to Standard Oil Interests, Says the Rev. J. D. Phelps.

SARATOGA, N. Y., April 17.—At the Troy annual conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church to-day, the Rev. J. D. Phelps, financial agent of Syracuse University, spoke in defense of Chancellor Day.

He said that John D. Archbold is one of the university's principal benefactors, and described him as a "modest, quiet, Christian man." Mr. Phelps declared that Chancellor Day was not catering to Standard Oil interests, but was expressing his own convictions in his criticisms of President Roosevelt and in his defense of corporate interests.

The conference elected its general delegates to the Memorial Conference on the first ballot, as follows: The Rev. Homer Eaton, New York City; the Rev. P. L. Dow, Rutland, Vt.; the Rev. Eugene Wiseman, Troy; the Rev. J. H. Coleman, Troy; the Rev. I. D. Van Valkenburgh, Albany, and the Rev. Charles Edward, Salem, N. Y.

The laymen's conference elected the following delegates: C. Z. Lincoln, Albany; Edgar S. Ryder, Cobleskill; T. D. Southworth, Poultney, Vt.; John H. Coon, Stillwater; Charles McKernon, Pittsfield, Mass., and H. E. Landsdale, Troy.

EDUCATIONAL CONFERENCE.

President Ogden's Party to Start To-morrow for Memphis Meeting.

President Robert C. Ogden of the Conference for Education in the South and a party of prominent New York men and women will leave to-morrow for Memphis, where the eleventh conference will be held, beginning Wednesday of next week and lasting through Friday.

At the opening session the address of welcome will be delivered by Gov. Patterson of Tennessee. President Ogden will follow with his annual address, and there will be at least two other speeches. Among the speakers for the remaining sessions are Dr. Elmer Ellsworth Brown of the University of California, Bishop Teodore Du Bose Bratton of Mississippi, State Superintendent J. Y. Joyner of North Carolina, State Superintendent J. D. Eggleston of Virginia, and Dr. J. B. Baldwin of Montgomery, Ala. Among the subjects to be discussed are "The Training of the Southern Teacher," "Industrial Education," "The Schools and the Forests," and "The Christian South and Negro Education."

The United States Floated Last Night.

The Scandinavian-American liner United States, which was damaged Thursday in collision with the Ward liner Monterey, and afterward went ashore on the edge of the main ship channel, was floated last night. The vessel was towed to her pier in Hoboken, where her cargo will be removed preparatory to going into dry dock. Most of the 500 passengers, taken off yesterday, will be sent away to-day on the Cunarder Caronia.

CONNERS MET BRYAN, HAD NO CONFERENCE

Just Exchanged a Few Generalities in a Hotel Corridor at Rochester.

BRYAN KEEPS HIS HANDS OFF

Mack, After Seeing the Nebraskan, Says He Will Not Join with Any Bolters.

Special to The New York Times.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., April 17.—If William J. Conners, Chairman of the Democratic State Committee, expected to have a private conference here with William J. Bryan on matters affecting the conduct of the New York State delegation at the Denver Convention, he was deeply disappointed this evening. He met and talked with Mr. Bryan, but it was in a parlor of the Powers Hotel, and four men heard everything that was said. The fifteen minutes they conversed were devoted to the most general of generalities. Afterward Mr. Bryan was careful to let it be known that they had not talked politics.

Mr. Bryan arrived in this city this morning and found Norman E. Mack of Buffalo, Democratic National Committeeman from New York, awaiting him. They had a long conference in which undoubtedly Mr. Mack explained the situation in New York. Afterward both said there was no significance in their meeting.

Mr. Conners arrived in the city on the Empire State Express at 3:50 o'clock this afternoon in company with State Committeeman Thomas W. Finucane. He would not say that his visit to the city was for the purpose of seeing Mr. Bryan, but Mr. Finucane frankly said:

"Of course he is here to see Mr. Bryan."

Nobody but Mr. Conners and his close political friends know whether he expected a private conference with Mr. Bryan. He reached the Powers Hotel shortly before 7:30 o'clock and asked to meet Mr. Bryan. He was shown into the parlors, where Mr. Bryan was chatting with several men. W. B. Murphy, private secretary to Lieut. Gov. Chanler; John Pallace, ex-Assemblyman; Manton M. Wyvell, confidential man of Mr. Bryan, and Committeeman Finucane were present and heard all that passed.

The two men shook hands cordially and then chatted on general topics for about fifteen minutes.

At the conclusion of the conversation and as Mr. Conners was about to withdraw, Mr. Bryan received several newspaper men, who asked him about the conference. Mr. Bryan immediately called Mr. Conners back and said:

"The newspaper men want to know about our conversation, Mr. Conners. I am going to tell them that I simply met you, and that we did not discuss politics. Is that right?"

Mr. Conners corroborated the Nebraskan's statement. Both positively declared that politics was not mentioned, and that the situation in New York State did not come up in any way.

Mr. Bryan then let it be known that he would not discuss New York politics. He said he was not acquainted with the situation, and therefore was not qualified to talk about it.

M. Conners left the hotel in company with Mr. Finucane, at whose home he is a guest to-night. Mr. Bryan went to Convention Hall and addressed an audience of probably 4,000 persons. Mr. Conners did not go to the Hall, and made no explanation.

Mr. Bryan in his speech to-night compared himself to Joseph of the Old Testament.

"My enemies have called me a dreamer," he said, "but I can hark back to Holy Writ for justification of my course. Joseph was set down as a dreamer by his brethren, but after his exile into Egypt, when his brethren needed corn, they found that the dreamer had the corn. So has it been in all ages, that the reputed dreamer has had the corn and has been the savior of his fellow-men.

"There has been a healthy growth of public sentiment in our favor since my campaign of 1896. I must concede that my candidacy was in the nature of a disadvantage at that time, but during that campaign I had often hoped that it might prove of decided advantage. I was a young man then, more than ten years younger than any previous aspirant for the office of President. Some of the voters might have thought me too immature for the exalted position for which I presented myself. This portion of the populace may not have understood me.

"Again, I lived in the West, and that fact alone was enough to condemn. We are a Bible-reading people, and we are likely to confuse time with place in our reading of the Scriptures. The wise men were said to have come out of the East, and that may have led to the belief in 1896 that they must continue to come from the same direction. However, the fact that I still remain in politics should be sufficient to disabuse our Republican friends of the latter-mentioned idea.

"In 1896 I was buried. I know it, for I have often read about it. When I reappeared in 1900 I mystified many Republicans, who did not know whether I had ever been killed or had just been resurrected. At St. Louis I was run over and trampled upon, but still I live."

Mr. Bryan will go to Glens Falls tomorrow morning, and from there to Utica, where he will speak to-morrow night. He will wind up his trip at New York.

Chairman Edward E. Coatesworth of the Erie County Committee gave out a statement to-night, in which he said:

"The Democracy of this State, and particularly the Democracy of this county," said Mr. Coatesworth, "are to be pitied in having a man such as Mr. Conners as its nominal leader. It is a great misfortune that Mr. Conners's training has been along the line of leading, bossing, and dominating employes.

"I have tried to bring about harmony in the party in this county, and from my talks with Conners I confess I believed that he had the same desire, but his rule-or-ruin policy is uppermost in his mind. I cannot believe the decent Democrats of this county will stand for his leadership. The Democracy is greatly in need of intelligence in its leadership. This Conners does not possess, unless brute force may be construed as such."

Special to The New York Times.

BUFFALO, N. Y., April 17.—National Committeeman Norman E. Mack came from Rochester to-night after a long conference with William J. Bryan. Asked whether Mr. Bryan was displeased with what happened at the Democratic Convention in New York Mr. Mack declared that Mr. Bryan did not intend to mix in the affairs of the New York State Democracy.

"Will there be a convention to send a contesting delegation?" he was asked.

"I know of no such convention," he said. "I don't believe one will be held, and if there is I shall take no part in it."

TROOPER SHOT AT CHESTER.

Strike Sympathizer Fires from House—Cars Run Under Guard.

Special to The New York Times.

CHESTER, Penn., April 17.—Troop D, one of the four companies of the State Constabulary, which came to Chester to-day to control the strike situation, was ambushed to-night one mile from the town. William Cookman, a private, was shot in the leg. His horse was injured and threw him to the ground. Thomas Barger, who did the shooting, was captured by the troopers and is now in the Leiperville Jail.

After reaching Chester at noon the constabulary had ridden through the city, cleared the streets of the mob, and forced a path through the crowds for the trolley cars. By night they seemed to be in absolute control of the situation.

The troops were then assigned to different parts of the town and vicinity. As Troop D was nearing the outskirts of Leiperville Barger opened fire on them from the second story window of his home with a double-barrelled gun.

Private Cookman and his horse were struck at the same time. The horse reared, threw the trooper to the ground, and ran down the road. Instantly the troop had halted and fired a volley from their carbines into the house, riddling the doors and smashing the window panes. Then they dismounted, and, dashing into the house, broke open the door of the second story room in which Barger had barricaded himself, hauled him down into the road and carried him to the jail at Leiperville

Under the protection of the State police the traction company ran five cars during the afternoon. The first car was in charge of F. W. Borgmann, who ran the first car out of the barns in San Francisco in the face of the striking employes. On the car were President Riggs of the Traction Company; R. Nelson Buckley, Chairman of the Board of Directors of the Inter-State Railway Company, two city policemen, and a private detective of the company, and beside it rode two troopers. The car had not gone far when some of the strikers, or their sympathizers, began throwing stones and shouting at the men in charge of it. The troopers rode through the crowd and arrested six men. The others dispersed.

In making arrests to-day, the troopers gave several exhibitions of horsemanship that caused the disorderly element to regard them with awe. Sergts. Logan and Chambers and Trooper Kobut, in their determination to capture a negro, jumped their horses over a high embankment and two fences into a field, where they overtook the fleeing man.

COMPANY TO PAY FOR DEATH.

Judgment of $15,000 for Death of Woman Through Leak in Gas Fixture.

A jury before Supreme Court Justice Guy awarded $15,000 against the Central Gas Company to Joseph Jameson, a building contractor, of 2,134 Eighth Avenue, for the loss of his wife, Mrs. Sarah E. Jameson, who was asphyxiated by gas in their apartments, at 1,021 Simpson Street, the Bronx, on April 5, 1906. Mrs. Jameson's death was caused by a leak in a gas fixture in a new apartment. The judgment holds the gas company responsible for negligence in not making careful examination before turning on the gas.

MRS. GLYN RETURNS.

Quite Weary with Being Feted, but Loving America Hard.

Mrs. Elinor Glyn returned to New York yesterday aboard the Mauretania. She will remain for something less than three weeks and then go to California. She appeared last night in the restaurant at the Plaza gowned in black, with large earrings of emeralds and pearls and a harmonizing plastron suspended from a black ribbon. To a TIMES reporter she said:

"I have been very ill. I am now quite ill. I had influenza in England and was ill for five weeks. When I returned from America I was really so much fêted that I finally surrendered and became ill. I still feel the results, and very soon I shall go to California—where there are flowers."

The reporter asked about her dramatization of "Three Weeks." Mrs. Glyn shrugged her shoulders.

"Mr. Hackett may put it on, you know," she said. "He is coming to see me to-night, but I don't care particularly whether it is played or not."

This was with a world-weary sigh. Then Mrs. Glyn brightened a bit and said: "You know I love America and the Americans."

She is going to California to meet her husband and two daughters, who are returning from a trip through Japan. She purposes staying here several months.

On the Mauretania also came yesterday Henry Lee, the impersonator. He visited Richard Croker, and quotes the latter as saying that he would never exchange the peace and quiet of a country life for all the struggle and turmoil of politics.

FLORENCE BURNS SUES.

Seeks a Divorce and Alimony from C. W. Wildrick.

Justice Crane, in the Supreme Court, Brooklyn, yesterday, reserved decision on an application of Florence Burns Wildrick for an allowance of $25 a week alimony and $200 counsel fee in a suit for divorce she has begun against her husband, Charles White Wildrick, whom she married in 1903 shortly after she had been arrested and released following an investigation of the death of Walter Brooks in the Glen Island Hotel, Manhattan. Mrs. Wildrick is now living with her parents at 286 Putnam Avenue, Brooklyn, having been separated from her husband for nearly a year.

The defendant denies the charges and says he earns only $14 a week in an advertising business. He alleges that his wife is a gambler and has lived in gambling places.

WHALEY GIRL MAY RETURN.

Possible Ruse to Get Her to Leave ex-Rector Cooke, with Whom She Fled.

Special to The New York Times.

HEMPSTEAD, L. I., April 17.—Mrs. Keziah Whaley is non-communicative regarding a report current that her granddaughter Floretta, who eloped with Jere Knode Cooke, the Episcopal rector here, last May, will return next month for a formal settlement of her father's estate at Mineola.

Mrs. Whaley, who is executor of the estate of the late John Whaley and guardian of Floretta and her sister, Edna, is to report before Surrogate Edgar Jackson on May 13, and the former's presence may be required as a ruse to get her away from Cooke.

"All I know is what I read in the newspapers," said Mrs. Whalen. "I have never tried to get her home, and I never shall, but I wish she'd come."

Deserted Girl Tries to Die Under a Car

After vainly attempting to end her life by drinking carbolic acid, Julia Morgan of 1,152 Fiftieth Street, Brooklyn, threw herself in front of a trolley car on Fifth Avenue, near Twenty-second Street, Brooklyn, yesterday. The motorman applied the brakes and saved her life. The girl was attended by Ambulance Surgeon Anderson of the Seney Hospital. In the Fifth Avenue Court she told Magistrate Tighe that she had been deserted by her sweetheart and had no desire to live. She was held.

PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD

Bulletin.

OVER NIGHT TO CHICAGO.

Over night to Chicago! It sounds like a boast. But it is an actual fact. New York knows that it has been done right along since June 11, 1905, when the "Pennsylvania Special," the original 18-hour train to Chicago, began its phenomenal career. It is doing it now every day and it is saving a business day to busy men.

It is a great satisfaction to close your desk at 3.30 in the afternoon, after business hours, take a train and arrive in Chicago by the time the Western man is settling down for his morning's work. You are fresh from a fine night's sleep on a train that vies with your club in appointment, and fit for the work of the day.

After luncheon in Chicago you may start east at 2.45 P. M., and open your desk next morning before the time lock releases the bolts of the bank vaults.

Nearly two thousand miles traveled, with nearly six hours for business at the other end, in less than forty-two hours, is the top notch of economy in time.

Nothing but a specially chartered train could make this arrangement more satisfying.

The "Pennsylvania Special," with sleeping, compartment, observation and dining cars, leaves New York every day at 3.55 P. M. and arrives in Chicago just one thousand and eighty minutes thereafter.

For railroad, Pullman tickets, and full information, apply to Ticket Agents or C. Studds, E. P. A., 263 Fifth Avenue.

Telephone Madison 1032.

WOMAN SUES MAN FOR DRIVING ON ROAD

Main Highway in East Neck Crosses Property of Mrs. Jones.

BUILDS WALL AS BARRIER

Milton L'Ecluse, with Pickaxes, Crowbars, and Workmen, Tears Down the Wall—Courts to Settle the Dispute.

Mrs. Mary H. Jones of 116 West Seventy-second Street, and Milton L'Ecluse, President of the S. Osgood Pell Company of 537 Fifth Avenue, are waging a merry war against each other over a piece of property at East Neck, near Huntington, L. I.

Mr. L'Ecluse, who is wealthy, recently purchased an estate worth $100,000 at East Neck, formerly known as the Eckerson estate. There is but one road from the main highway of Huntington to the property, and it crosses property owned by Mrs. Jones.

Mrs. Jones, who is the wife of Dr. Oliver L. Jones, and worth $3,000,000, asserts that the road is not a public highway, and erected a stone wall four feet high and two feet thick across it. She also had some big trees felled across the road. That, she reckoned, would hold Mr. L'Ecluse for a while.

It did. The next morning he appeared in his automobile, speeding rapidly to catch the train for Manhattan. He had barely time to catch the train even if all went well.

Encountering the obstacles in the road, which were impassable, he turned his car about and went home after crowbars, pickaxes, and vengeance. Then he again sallied forth, with a gang of men, tore down the stone wall, and removed the trees. It is said that he also removed, as a matter of detail, some of the Jones employes and one of the sons of the house of Jones, who sought to hinder his work.

The next morning Mr. L'Ecluse encountered a full-grown bathhouse in the road, which had been carted there from the beach. That, too, he removed. But more trees were felled, and a cross-cut saw, an axe, a crowbar, and a pick became part of the L'Ecluse automobile's regular equipment, while Mr. L'Ecluse accustomed himself to get up early enough mornings to have time for his usual exercise and still make his train.

Mrs. Jones's suit against Mr. L'Ecluse has been begun in Suffolk County. Willard N. Baylis of 37 Liberty Street, Manhattan, is Mr. L'Ecluse's attorney.

HAD COUNTERFEIT COINS.

Woman Causes Arrest of Italian for Passing Fake Quarters.

In the arrest of Nicholas Sevivo of 113 East 109th Street yesterday the police learned that counterfeit coins of small denominations are in circulation in the Italian sections of the city. Policeman Whitman of the East 104th Street Station arrested Sevivo on the complaint of Mrs. Adele Fleischman of 1,762 Madison Avenue, who told Whitman that the Italian had given her some counterfeit coins in change. The counterfeits were quarters and dimes.

When Sevivo was searched the police found several counterfeit quarters and dimes in his pocket. Later he was turned over to the United States Secret Service agents.

40 MISSING AT CHELSEA.

Eleven Bodies Have Been Found in Ruins—Much Relief Needed.

BOSTON, April 17.—Two more bodies were found to-day in the ruins of the Chelsea fire of last Sunday, making the total number recovered eleven, and the number of known victims thirteen, which includes two who died in hospitals.

Many persons who could not be found early in the week have turned up, but at least forty are still unaccounted for. Up to to-day there has been no systematic search of the cellars of the burned houses. As soon as the streets have been thoroughly cleared the authorities will make an effort to search the cellars systematically.

An urgent appeal for money, food, and clothing and a statement that the losses and needs of the sufferers are far greater and more widespread than was at first supposd was issued to-day by the State Relief Committee through its Treasurer, Major Henry L. Higginson.

MAY HAVE JOYCE'S SLAYER.

Police Hold a Man They Believe to be "Kid" Regan.

A young man who said he was Thomas Regan was locked up at Police Headquarters last night. The police believe he is Peter Regan, known as "Kid" Regan, a brother of Lieut. Martin Regan of the Police Department, who was accused by a Coroner's Jury of the murder of Roy Joyce in the basement of Tobey's café in Thirty-first Street near Broadway, in 1905. He was arrested in Port Jervis, N. Y., yesterday by Detectives Russo and Kesselmark of the District Attorney's staff.

After the murder of Joyce Regan was not arrested, although the police said that he was a member of the Paul Kelley gang, and with several friends had gone to the café to avenge himself on its manager. The prisoner denied he is "Kid" Regan.

MANY BANDAGES, NO HURTS.

Magistrate Finn Exposes Falsity of Italian's Charge of Assault.

Magistrate "Battery Dan" Finn, sitting yesterday in the Tombs Court, acted the part of a "Solomon come to judgment," confirming his suspicions that a complainant before him was not as badly hurt as he would make out by causing to be unwound from his head several yards of bandages and many pieces of court-plaster without disclosing a single cut or bruise.

Angelo Yanacle, an Italian, had caused the arrest of a fellow-countryman, Angelo Wheodo, on a charge of felonious assault.

They had an argument over the possession of a trunk. Blows followed, and an hour later Yanacle, with his head swathed in bandages, had Wheodo arrested.

When the two were brought before Magistrate Finn he looked at Yanacle a moment and then ordered the Sergeant to strip off the cloth and plaster, amid the loud protestations of the victim.

"Just as I thought," remarked the court. "Now, who helped you fix yourself up in that fashion?"

Yanacle replied that a Bayard Street druggist had done the deed for a dollar. "Well, the court exacts just $2 more in appreciation of the work of art," replied the Magistrate.

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Joseph C. Cowen, Zionist, on a Visit to This Country to Explain His Work for the Movement.

The turbine Cunarder Mauretania, which arrived yesterday, established a new record over the long route across the North Atlantic. Her time was 4 days 23 hours and 59 minutes, just clipping a minute off the record of 5 days made by her sister ship, the Lusitania. The Mauretania's average speed over the 2,889-mile course was 24.08 knots. On the last day she kept up a 26-knot speed for hours, but toward nightfall she ran into a strong gale with rough seas and had to slow down, so that the run for that day was 612 knots.

Joseph C. Cowen, who comes here on a visit to the principal Jewish committees of this country and to address meetings on topics pertaining to his work in connection with the Zionist movement, was a passenger on the Mauretania.

Mr. Cowen is the financial agent of the Zionist movement. He is also a Director in the Jewish Colonial Trust, and is identified with many of the Jewish organizations in England. He attained a measure of fame, for he figures in Dr. Herzl's Utopian story of the new Jewish State, "Alteneuland," as Joseph Kean. He accompanied Dr. Herzl to Constantinople to negotiate with the Turkish Government for concessions to the Jews in Palestine.

The Mauretania brought 376 cabin passengers. Among them were:

Mr. and Mrs. Sherwood Aldrich, Mrs. G. F. Baker, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Bliss, Mr. and Mrs. Waring P. Carrington, L. L. Cuthbert, Mr. and Mrs. John W. Butler, Dr. and Mrs. G. E. B. Ewell, Dr. and Mrs. J. E. Frothingham, William D. Gordon, Charles Lancaster, Richard P. McGrann, Mrs. Clarence Minzesheimer, Col. Harrison Power, Reginald Paget, Arthur Paget, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Rich, Mr. and Mrs. William H. Sage, Capt. V. Percy Smith, Dr. Joseph Torrey, G. B. St. George, Mr. and Mrs. Lorenzo Woodhouse, and Casimir Werk.

OCEAN TRAVELERS.

Six Big Liners, Well Laden, Sail for Europe To-day.

The Cunarder Caronia, which sails today for Liverpool, will have among her passengers:

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Allen, Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Benedict, Mr. and Mrs. C. Stewart Carstairs, A. B. Cassels, H. C. Forrest, Mrs. M. T. Gerahty, Mme. Kirkby-Lunn, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Ledyard, P. M. McAllister, Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Stoddard, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Tomes, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Grant Watson, and Mr. and Mrs. John Wishart.

Outgoing passengers on the Republic of the White Star Line are:

Mrs. J. S. Alexander, Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Allen, Miss Mary Ettinger Baker, Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Bishop, Dr. Sprague Carlton, Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Champion, Mrs. John D. Black, William T. Galloway, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Goetz, Mrs. Henrietta Buggs-Hall, Mr. and Mrs. John S. Hollbrook, Mr. and Mrs. George H. Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel M. Keiper, Sydney H. Lee, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Lewry, Dr. and Mrs. R. O. McAlexander, and Dr. and Mrs. William R. Parkes.

Among those sailing on the North German Lloyd liner Koenigin Luise for Naples are:

Dr. Edward K. Armstrong, Col. and Mrs. James G. Butler, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Braun, Albert C. Burdick, Dr. Ida Clark, Baroness Pietro Floriala, Mr. and Mrs. Douglas H. Gordon, Mrs. Julia I. Havemeyer, Mr. and Mrs. David Halstead, J. Myron Leavitt, Mrs. Wallace L. Pierce, Capt. and Mrs. F. R. Rice, Mrs. Irene C. de Sanz, Mrs. H. R. Towne, and Mr. and Mrs. George Zeberlein.

The Atlantic Transport liner Minnetonka will sail for London with a full quota of passengers. Among those who go with her are:

Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Ashmore, the Rev. C. A. Briggs, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Coxey, Mrs. Edward Douglass, Mrs. Grace Otis Ensign, Mrs. G. E. Fawcett, Mr. and Mrs. Frank A. Gardner, Mrs. William H. Heaton, and Capt. T. Kirkland.

Booked to sail on the American liner New York, leaving for Southampton, are:

Richard Buhling, Frank Dodd, Juan B. Elizalde, J. H. Michener, Jr., Mrs. Julia de Santistevon, Mrs. Ley Vernon, Robert Wood, and Francisco de Yeaza.

Among the passengers on the R. M. S. P. Orinoco, sailing for the West Indies and Panama, are:

F. B. Fearon, D. Silvera, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Cash, B. Brooks, J. Parsons, G. Payan, the Rev. F. Weiss, E. Pratt, Mrs. F. D. Heron and family, R. C. Walters, J. Kaemerer, and S. Pickelmann.

The Vaderland, which sails for Antwerp, also has a full quota of passengers.

On the Hamburg-American liner, arriving last night from Hamburg, were:

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Beeckmann, Mr. and Mrs. F. S. Booth, Mr. and Mrs. Edmond Converse, Augustus Cowell, Mr. and Mrs. Edward C. Gost, Ove Gude, Norwegian Minister to the United States; Mrs. Gude, and Count Hans von Hopffgarten.

POISONED BY PARROT'S BITE.

Paterson Man's Condition Is Critical After Two Operations.

John Kemp, a photographer of Paterson, N. J., is in a serious condition at his home as a result of being bitten by his pet parrot a week ago. When the bird ripped his right index finger he paid little attention to the hurt.

On Friday, however, Mr. Kemp's hand began to swell and the family physician was called in. He said that blood poisoning had set in and he performed an operation.

Until Tuesday Mr. Kemp showed signs of improving, but yesterday he took a turn for the worse. At 11 o'clock another operation was performed. Mrs. Kemp sat by the bedside and held her husband's other hand. In his pain he sank his nails deep into her flesh, and after the operation the physicians had to apply remedies to prevent blood poisoning being contracted by the wife. Mr. Kemp's condition is critical.

Mineola's Tribute to Dead Druggist.

MINEOLA, L. I., April 17.—During the funeral services to-day of Charles W. Bedell, a local druggist for about forty years, business in the village was suspended. The funeral was the largest ever held here.

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CIRCUS'S LAST NIGHT HERE.

Barnum & Bailey Show Exhibits Next Week Under Tents in Brooklyn.

The circus season will come to a close to-night when the Barnum & Bailey Greatest Show on Earth will end its stay of a month at the Madison Square Garden. In previous years the circus has had some very successful engagements in this city, but the one which ends to-night is the most successful the managers have ever known. All records for attendance have been shattered. On Thursday and again yesterday crowds were turned away from the afternoon performances.

When the last of the hippodrome races is over to-night and the La Rocque sisters have displayed their nerve in the automobile race in the air, the circus will leave to open the regular circus season in Brooklyn, where it is to show all of next week under canvas at Fifth Avenue and Third Street. For nearly a week all of the huge tents have been up in Brooklyn, there have been 600 horses quartered on the grounds, besides an army of canvasmen. Meanwhile the Brooklyn small boy has been having the time of his life.

During the last trip in Europe the Barnum & Bailey people discontinued the time-honored custom of giving a parade, and then tried the experiment in this country. One of the first things the managers decided to do this year, however, was to revive the parade, and it will be given in Brooklyn on Monday morning if the weather permits.

The circus will take the usual route across the bridge to-night.

WILD WEST CHIEFS INITIATED.

Buffalo Bill's Red Men Now Have a Friars' Order of Their Own.

BRIDGEPORT, Conn., April 17.—Following a solemn ceremony Chiefs Iron Tail, Lone Bear, Rocky Bear, and one or two other red men were made friars. They do not, however, aspire to the body of publicists that parades the Great White Way in New York, although when they come here they hope to be taken into the fold by the Abbot.

The friar in "Buffalo Bill's" Wild West Indian camp means that these friarly red men have been placed in charge of all the others. Interpreters have also joined the cult, and it is said that there will be a great brotherly feeling among the Indians of the Wild West, and when the fifty-seven Japs come to the show the chiefs will try to convert them, too.

"Johnny" Baker, with one of the Indians who speaks English, was the chief friar of the occasion, and read the rules of the brotherhood, and the only reason for calling the red men by that name was because they wore their blankets like the monks wear their cowls. They will be told to come and visit the real friars in this city at one of the Friday night gatherings if Mr. Wells is willing.

"No white squaw there?" asked Iron Tail, evidently hoping that the party would be a stag one. When informed that not even red women would take part he grunted with delight.

After the ceremony the red men went through a fine sun dance, just to show that they believed they had been elevated above the ordinary term of "chief."

JUMPS 95 FEET FROM TRAIN.

O. M. Sturmer, Jeweler, Ends Life by Leaping Into Susquehanna River.

HAVRE DE GRACE, Md., April 17.—Oscar M. Sturmer, a jeweler and optician of Easton, Md., committed suicide this afternoon by jumping from the platform of a car of the Peninsular Express on the Pennsylvania Railroad while the train was crossing the bridge over the Susquehanna River.

His body immediately disappeared in the water ninety-five feet below the floor of the bridge, but was recovered by the use of grappling irons to-night. Papers on the body made identification possible.

NIGHT WORKERS' EASTER MASS

Special Services at 2:30 A. M. To-morrow in St. Andrew's Church.

Easter Sunday at old St. Andrew's Roman Catholic Church in Duane Street, over whose destinies the Rev. Luke J. Evers presides, will be the occasion of a mass for night workers which will begin at 2:30 A. M. Mme. Selma Kronold, the directress of the Catholic Oratorio Society, has volunteered her services and is on the programme for three numbers. D. A. Sheehan, the bass soloist of St. Patrick's Cathedral, Jersey City, with Mrs. J. T. Lynch, contralto soloist of St. John's Church, Manhattan; Mrs. K. Cammack, soprano of St. Mark's Episcopal Church, and the boys' choir of Annunciation Church, Manhattan, will be the features of the musical services. The orchestra will be under the direction of William Henry Hickey. P. J. Quigley, the organist of the 2:30 A. M. mass, will be assisted by J. Elsinger, organist of St. Aloysius Church, and a chorus of over sixty voices. The programme is:

Aida, (March)....Verdi
Kyrie....Battmann
Gloria....Battmann
Credo, (Quartette)....La Hache
Miss S. Quigley, Mrs. J. T. Lynch, Mr. D. A. Sheehan, and J. Mck. Walker.
Ave Venum, (Offertory)....Gounod
Mme. Selma Kronold, (Directress of Catholic Oratorio Society.)
Sanctos....Battmann
Benedictus, (Male Voices)....Peters
Agnus Dei, (Solo and Chorus)....Connors
Ave Maria....The Rev. H. C. Ganns
Mme. Selma Kronold, (Directress of Catholic Oratorio Society.)
Holy God, (Choir and Congregation.)
Priests' March....Mendelssohn

At the conclusion of the mass the congregation is requested to remain seated while Mme. Selma Kronold sings "The Holy City."

Admission will be by ticket only.

Drop Kings Hospital Charges.

The Grand Jury of Kings County dismissed yesterday the charges preferred against the officials of the Kings County Hospital by William Connolly, a former Night Supervisor of that institution. Connolly, in a sensational statement to District Attorney Clarke, asserted that patients were treated in a cruel and inhuman fashion, and that money was extorted from them by some of the attendants.

Church Is Robbed During Services.

SYRACUSE, N. Y., April 17.—During the Good Friday services at St. Paul's Episcopal Church thieves entered the vesting room and stole all articles of jewelry and money left by the twenty men and women choristers, who were in the sanctuary.

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Wife Reported to Have Begun Suit, but Her Husband's Friends Deny It.

MOTHER WITH MRS. GOULD

Last Breach Between the Young Pair Thought to be Final—Jealousy Said to be the Cause.

Frank Jay Gould left town for Hot Springs, Va., yesterday afternoon, leaving his wife, who was Miss Helen Kelly, in command of their mansion, at 834 Fifth Avenue. The couple are estranged, and it was rumored yesterday that papers in a suit brought by Mrs. Gould had been served on her husband while he was in the café of the Hotel Plaza.

Friends of Mr. Gould insisted, however, that Mrs. Gould had begun no action against her husband, so far. She has not yet decided what course she will pursue.

Developments in the domestic affairs of the youngest son of the late Jay Gould and the young daughter of Mrs. Edward Kelly have been expected for some time. On Thursday, when Mr. Gould left his home to take up quarters at the Plaza, it became known that another of the quarrels between the couple was in progress, but it was believed, until yesterday afternoon, that the breach might be merely temporary. There have been many reports of difficulty in the household. Mr. Gould, however, is said to stand aloof from any overtures for a reconciliation, and Mrs. Gould's mother is now at her daughter's side.

Mr. and Mrs. Gould were married in December, 1901, by the Rev. Dr. David H. Greer, at the home of Mrs. Kelly, 17 East Thirty-second Street. For a year or more their acquaintances have been expecting a breach between them. The youth and impulsiveness of the couple and the fact that there are two baby daughters have led Mr. Gould's family to try hitherto to prevent legal action. Now all efforts are said to have been abandoned. While Mrs. Kelly seemed hopeful yesterday that this was merely one of a series of matrimonial tiffs, the Goulds stood aside and let matters take their course.

Gould Quits His Home.

The last quarrel between the pair began, it is said, on Monday night in the Fifth Avenue home, but for three days Mr. Gould continued to live in the house. On Thursday night, however, he went to the Plaza and engaged a suite of rooms. He telephoned to his valet to bring several suitcases, and yesterday sent for his trunks.

When he left for Hot Springs he retained his quarters in the Plaza, and he will return from Virginia within a week.

It is said that only an accident prevented an awkward meeting of the couple at Hot Springs, as Mrs. Gould is said to have intended to go there also. As soon as Mr. Gould realized the seriousness of his marital difficulties he wired to Hot Springs for rooms and was booked. Not two hours later, it is said, the same hotel received a message from Mrs. Gould from her townhouse asking for accommodations for herself and two little girls and their servants. The hotel people were unable to provide Mrs. Gould with the suite she wanted, and she was, therefore, compelled to abandon her trip.

Mother Now With Mrs. Gould.

Mrs. Gould has been in strict seclusion since the departure of her husband, and yesterday morning Mrs. Kelly left her own apartment in 221 West Fifty-seventh Street and went to her daughter. She was with Mrs. Gould until a late hour last night. There had been a distinct coolness between Mrs. Kelly and her daughter ever since the first of the young pair's quarrels.

Mr. Gould at that time said that "too much mother-in-law" was the cause of the trouble, and Mrs. Gould stood by her husband.

For a year afterward Mrs. Kelly did not visit her daughter, and when the original quarrel was patched up it was with the stipulation that Mrs. Kelly should not come to the Gould house when Frank Gould was there. In the ensuing year there was comparative harmony, although Mr. and Mrs. Gould seldom appeared together in public. They passed last Summer at Ardsley, where Mrs. Gould spent most of her time with Miss Helen Gould, her sister-in-law. When the young couple returned to town they went directly to the Plaza, where they lived until February. Then they took possession of their Fifth Avenue home, but they entertained very little.

Owing to the youth of Mrs. Gould she has the sympathy of a legion of friends. She is not more than twenty-four years old. Her elder daughter, Helen, is five years old, and little Dorothy two years younger. They are beautiful children, and have been seen almost every afternoon out driving with their mother.

A friend who has sympathized with both Mr. and Mrs. Gould said yesterday:

"Mrs. Gould is only a child yet. Neither of them seems to understand the other. I fear the present break will never be bridged, as Mr. Gould is weary of the constant bickering. About the only hope of a reconciliation lies in the children, I think. Both parents adore them, and they have been the means of preventing an earlier separation of the parents.

"If the matter ever comes to the courts those who know Mr. Gould's determined nature and the great love of Mrs. Gould for the children fear a bitter controversy. The Gould family has done everything in its power to smooth over the constantly recurring quarrels, but now all are convinced that there is no other course but a separation. The details of the legal action have not been revealed."

De Lancey Nicoll of Nicoll, Anable & Lindsay of 31 Nassau Street are attorneys for Mr. Gould. Mr. Nicoll was absent from his office yesterday and no official statement was made.

Neither Mr. Gould before his departure for Hot Springs nor Mrs. Gould, in the seclusion of her Fifth Avenue home, would discuss their difficulties.

FLEET WILL SAIL TO-DAY.

Beautiful Ball to Junior Officers Ends San Diego Festivities.

SAN DIEGO, Cal., April 17.—With sailing orders issued for 6 o'clock to-morrow morning, the stay of the American battleship fleet in San Diego ended to-night, so far as activity is concerned. A ball to the junior officers of the fleet at the Hotel Del Coronado proved to be the most spectacular of the entertainments that have marked the four days of the fleet's presence in San Diego waters.

Flowers were banked above the alcoves and balconies, and the air was heavy with perfume. California poppies had a large place in the decorative scheme, and there was also a wealth of roses, violets, and carnations. Sixteen electric stars represented the sixteen ships, and beneath each was suspended a life buoy, fashioned of white flowers and bearing the name of one of the vessels of war. Flags and bunting formed a canopy over the room, and red, white, and blue effects in electric lighting completed the setting.

The two columns of the grand march were led by Miss Julia Grant, daughter of U. S. Grant, Jr., and Miss Jessie Neurbeck, both of San Diego. The former had as partner Midshipman Alexander Sharp, Jr., and the latter Ensign Lew M. Atkins, both of the Connecticut.

Large liberty parties came ashore from all of the ships to-day, and the sailors found all sorts of amusement provided for them.

The programme for the fleet at the next two or three California ports was upset this afternoon by a telegram from Secretary of the Navy Metcalf. He directed that the fleet anchor at San Pedro in full formation, and remain there until Sunday morning, when at 6 o'clock the divisions will proceed to other ports.

EVANS IN BRIGHT SPIRITS.

Hopes Soon to Command Again and Praises Admiral Thomas.

PASO ROBLES, Cal., April 17.—"I'll soon be on the quarterdeck again," said Rear Admiral Robley D. Evans to Dr. L. E. Phillips as he came from the baths to-day. He was feeling unusually bright and looking much better than at any time since his arrival at the hot springs. In the afternoon he spent an hour on the lawn, watching various games.

Admiral Evans to-day confirmed the report that Rear Admiral Thomas would give up his command soon after the arrival of the fleet at San Francisco, and explained that it would enable Rear Admiral Sperry to get his hand in before he started with the fleet on its world voyage.

"It's just like Charley Thomas to do something handsome for somebody else," said Evans.

EGGS BARRED FROM THEATRE.

Suspicious Ticket Taker Made Patron Leave His Basket Outside.

A theatrical company that plays in répertoire in country villages barred a citizen of Riverhead, L. I., on Thursday evening when he started to enter with a basket after having purchased a ticket.

The company had a varied répertoire, from "Uncle Tom's Cabin" to "Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde." Thursday evening a solid-looking citizen, carrying a basket, bought a ticket and started to enter the Opera House. Just as he was going in the cover of the basket unaccountably slipped off, revealing two dozen eggs.

"Hey," said the ticket taker. "This ain't Easter. Where you goin' with them eggs?"

"None o' y'r darned business. Here's my ticket, all paid for an' regi'r," declared the citizen.

"Well, there don't no eggs go inside there while I'm here," said the ticket taker, and then the other saw the reason his burden was suspected and roared with laughter. He left the eggs in charge of the man at the box office and entered, and he enjoyed every moment of the show. When it was over the manager returned the eggs to him and said:

"I was just afraid you might put your foot into the basket while you were applauding."

SWING MAN SAFELY FROM BURNING HOUSE

Two Firemen Hanging from Roof Catch Dietz and Save Him.

IT WAS THE ONLY CHANCE

Dugan and Scythes Forgot It Was Their Day Off When Fire Gongs Rang in Third Avenue.

The human bridge became a back number yesterday and the human pendulum took its place in fire annals. It was worked at the fire which wrecked the tenement house at 725 Third Avenue, and George Dietz, who is a bell boy at the Grand Union Hotel, had his life saved by the feat of daring invented for the occasion.

The fire started a little after 10 o'clock in the morning, and the human pendulum feat was performed, and trucks and engines were housed again within an hour and a half, but last night Third Avenue folks from Forty-second to Fiftieth Street were still talking with enthusiasm about the heroic act.

Tom Dugan and George Scythes of Truck 2 were off duty for the day, basking in the sunshine on a side street off the Avenue, when they heard the siren of their apparatus and took after it. They got to Forty-fifth Street and Third Avenue as the extension ladder began to swing upward.

The fire had started in the hallway of the five-story building, and was burning the entire stretch of wooden stairs. Men, women, and children were on the fire escapes, piling downward, trampling and bruising each other, and yelling with fear. It was a hot and fast blaze, with a paint shop at 723 adjoining.

The extension ladder became jamed before it got within twenty feet of the fifth floor. One of the men of Truck 2 had a finger caught in the apparatus and time was lost in extricating it. Flames were showing in the windows and from all of them poured smoke when George Dietz's face first showed above the sill of a window on the fifth floor. He evidently was half suffocated.

Formed a Human Pendulum.

But Tom Dugan and George Scythes forgot that it was their day off. Together they ran into the building at 723 and made their way to the roof. The cornice of it rises about five feet over the nearest window on the top floor of 725. It was impossible to reach Dietz by way of the scuttle of 725, for a sheet of flame was pouring from it. There was no rope, board or anything that could be used as a line to throw to the young man in the burning building.

Scythes was the lighter of the two men. He flopped face down on top of the cornice, and began to crawl headfirst over the edge of the building. Dugan had a grip on his knees with his strong arms, and his own knees were jammed up under the edge of the cornice. If the tinwork held Scythes's anchorage was safe.

Dugan began moving himself from right to left, swinging Scythes, who called to Dietz to lean as far as he could from the window and prepare to catch him by the wrists.

The air at the window had revived Dietz, and he had regained his strength. Nearer and nearer swung Scythes, and finally Dietz reached and grabbed his wrists.

For just a moment Dietz, Dugan, and Scythes were stretched in a taut line of humanity between the window of No. 725 and the cornice of No. 723.

Then Dietz swung out from the window in a big arc to the left.

Swung Safely to the Roof.

Dugan was still on the hard-working end of the pendulum, and began swinging two men to the right, and then left, instead of one. It was doubtful if he now had the strength to pull up two men. All he could do was to keep his burden swinging, and this he did until Dietz caught the top of the cornice with one heel.

Then a tug altogether, and the three men were prostrate on the roof, weak from the exertion and gasping for breath, but safe.

Dietz was taken to the Flower Hospital. Being the weight end of a pendulum had proved too much for him, and, besides, he had taken enough smoke into his lungs to lay him up for a couple of days.

The bell boy, who works at night, was sleeping at the time of the fire and knew nothing of it until awakened by the engines. His mother was away at Good Friday services. Fortunately she didn't get back until it was all over, and then a score of neighbors shouted to her, "George is all right!"

In the scramble for the fire escapes Mrs. Nellie Nolan lost track of one of her brood, and her wails were lifted to the high heavens. The men of Truck 7 piled into the burning building and many of them were barely able to get out, so many chances they ran in the hunt for the missing Nolan. The little fellow, Johnny by name, was found later studying with keenest delight the working of a big fire steamer.

When Dugan and Scythes got back to the sidewalk the former's coat was found to be split up the back. When he had replaced it he and Scythes went to the theatre for an afternoon, away from the cares of "the job."

DR. MACCRACKEN HOME.

Broke Bread with King Haakon While Abroad—Talks About Hazing.

Dr. Henry Mitchell MacCracken, Chancellor of New York University, which has been having troubles of its own in his absence, got home yesterday on the Cunarder Mauretania. Dr. and Mrs. MacCracken left here on Jan. 5.

The Chancellor has been visiting Danish, Norwegian, and Swedish universities, to perfect plans for an exchange of professors. He declared that he found sentiment strong for the plan, and believed that a fund of $200,000 would be sufficient to permit of an exchange of three professors a year.

"Hazing has never been tolerated at the university," he said, in speaking of recent events, "and it is understood that it will not be endured. I have not been fully informed as to the recent affair, but from what reports I have received I am certain the Faculty took the right stand. Dean Snow, I know, has acted for the best, and I have not lost any sleep over the affair."

Speaking of his mission to the Scandinavian universities, Dr. MacCracken said:

"Before going away I became interested in the movement started by the Danish-American Committee, in which Jacob Riis is prime mover. So I was ready to undertake the mission when invited. I found the people interested in the exchange of professors.

"King Haakon, with whom I took luncheon, impressed me as being a man of unusual intelligence. I met him informally, also, and we discussed many subjects. His father, King Christian, whom I also met, is a pleasant man, though formal and dignified. His son is more democratic. King Haakon deplored the emigration of so many of his subjects to this country. He is much worried by the growth of Socialism.

"The King told me that he had found a colony of Socialists—poor working people—in the North of Norway.

"'They told me,' he said, 'that all property should be equally divided. I told them that if they divided the wealth of Norway at 12 o'clock one day, there would be many children born the same afternoon, and asked them if they would then divide the wealth over again.

"'They had not even thought out that proposition, and it floored them.'"

When told of the Rev. Father Curry's criticisms of Mr. Riis and the work of his Settlement House in the Cherry Hill district, Dr. MacCracken said:

"I found that Mr. Riis is quite generally known in his native country and is very highly regarded by all there."

MAY EXCLUDE GREEK PLAYERS

Immigration Officials to Investigate Amateur Theatrical Company.

Arnold Kruckman, who has arranged to bring to this country a company of Greek student players, has met an obstacle in the immigration laws. These "students" are university professors, writers, artists, and members of other professions. They have been trained to play the ancient Greek tragedies by a course in the Conservatoire in Paris. They are not, however, professional players, but amateurs.

Commissioner Watchorn has given an opinion that because they do not come under the head of professional players they will be held up and will have to await a ruling by a board of special inquiry.

Prof. Charles Sprague Smith of the People's Institute wrote to Oscar Straus, Secretary of Commerce and Labor, asking if the players could come in. The letter was received and answered by Acting Commissioner General of Immigration Jarned. He upheld the stand taken by Commissioner Watchorn.

It is now proposed to appeal to President Roosevelt to facilitate the landing of the players.

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BOY FELLS A FUGITIVE.

Knocks a Fleeing Man Senseless with a Baseball Bat.

While trying to escape with two pieces of lead pipe, which the police allege he had stolen from a saloon at 533 East 118th Street, yesterday afternoon, John Griffin of 2,042 First Avenue was knocked unconscious by a boy with a baseball bat. Edward Strouzer, the bartender in the saloon, said that Griffin entered the place, cut out two sections of lead pipe, and walked out, leaving the water spouting out upon the floor.

Strouzer and others gave chase, but Griffin was increasing his lead, when, at Second Avenue, a boy stepped out of a doorway and felled him with a blow from the bat. Dr. Bennett of the Harlem Hospital revived Griffin, after which he was locked up in the East 126th Street Station.

BIG CROWD AT OLD TRINITY.

Many Stand Throughout Good Friday Three-Hour Service.

Despite the fact that a large number of the downtown business offices were closed all day, old Trinity Church was crowded to the doors, every seat being occupied, and fully five hundred persons standing in the rear and out in the vestibules, before the beginning of the three-hour service at noon yesterday. Even the steps to the chancel were utilized as sitting places, and the winding staircase to the pulpit accommodated a worshipper to almost every step.

The meditations were conducted by the Rev. Father J. O. S. Huntington of the Order of the Holy Cross, the last words on the cross being considered in order, collects being said, and hymns being sung at the close of each meditation.

EASTER STRIKE IN YONKERS.

Street Car Men There Fail to Get More Pay and a Shorter Day.

The motormen and conductors of the Yonkers City Railway Company will go on strike on Sunday unless Receiver Sutherland grants them an increase in pay and a ten-hour day. The men demand $2.50.

They called on Mr. Sutherland Thursday, and made their demand. He told the committee that he was powerless to grant its request unless so ordered by the courts. The committee reported to the rest of the men, and yesterday they voted to strike.

Post Office Robbers Foiled.

AMAGANSETT, L. I., April 17.—Burglars attempted to enter the Amagansett Post Office early this morning, but were frightened away by the night watchman, who tripped over a chair. It is thought they are the same gang that entered Banker Babcock's office last week.

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EFFECT OF THE MOON ON A RUNAWAY CASE

Set a Policeman Musing and Thus Led to the Discovery of Alfred and Clarence.

THEY WERE ALASKA BOUND

On a Quest for Gold to Fill the Old Safe They Had Robbed for Traveling Funds.

The scenery is not cheerful in the neighborhood of Broome and Tompkins Streets, down by the East River front, except at rare moments. Yesterday morning at 4 o'clock was such a moment, and for that reason Clarence and Alfred Stebbins, aged 12 and 11 years, of Worcester, Mass., were halted in their race to Alaska, and last night started back home.

This interdependence of things apparently unrelated—the land and skyscapes—a policeman's answer to the call of a silver night, the ambitions of two Indian-hating and gold-loving boys, the flash of a dark lantern—is all bound up with the story of why Clarence and Alfred left home, which after all is the real story.

Clarence and Alfred had read in books whose covers are printed in red, white, and blue, about "Jack Hilton, the Young Gold King; or, How He Got Millions." They read about other young men with different names, but all of whom started out young, fought valiantly with villains and circumstances, and speedily began to roll in such wealth that they could buy steam locomotives of their very own if they wanted them.

Fired with the spirit of adventure, last Monday they took about $50 out of the safe in their father's bicycle store, at Worcester, Mass. They reasoned that within a time, not reckoned in months, but which should be very short, they would pour Alaskan gold into the old safe until its doors couldn't be closed.

That afternoon they started for foreign parts. They took the trolley to Providence, and thence shipped by boat to New York the next day. Arriving here Wednesday morning, they boarded one train that ran on a stilted track, and then took another at the Brooklyn Bridge. In Brooklyn they bought a watch that would not run. They thought this was unnatural, and took it into a Brooklyn jewelry shop. They paid $1 for the watch, 90 cents for "repairs," and still the watch did not tick.

Clarence and Alfred came back to Manhattan on Thursday. They wandered wherever their hearts dictated. They felt that they were on their way to Alaska. They had quite understood that anybody has to come to New York to start for anywhere else, and they were in New York.

Thursday night found Clarence and Alfred in the neighborhood of Broome and Tompkins Streets. They counted the money in the treasury, and, finding that they had $33.07 left, they ate two ham sandwiches, a hot cross bun, and two bananas apiece. Then they crept between some piles of lumber to camp for the night.

Now comes the scenery, the interdependence, and so on. Policeman Goncannon of the Delancey Street Station has the post in the neighborhood of Broome and Tompkins Streets. At 4 o'clock the sky was scoured clean of everything except the stars and the moon, and the moon was big and soft. It multiplied itself in the river, so that there seemed to be so many moons lying out there that the whole river was white.

Goncannon had been leaning long against a post on the pier, looking at the moon—that's the reason he was in that neighborhood as late as 4 o'clock. He saw a light flash among the lumber piles. He peered through a crevice. He saw Clarence Stebbins pacing back and forth by the side of the sleeping form of Alfred. He heard him saying:

"We must be off ere the sun rises. I fear we are pursued."

With that he shut the slide of the dark lantern that was stuck up on one of the lumber piles. Goncannon walked right into the camp.

"Hold!" cried Cap'n Clarence. "I'll make a sifter out of your carcass."

And he did snap a cap pistol, but the cap was bad. Goncannon learned that the brothers were sleeping and watching by turns. He heard their story; took them to Police Headquarters. They were sent to the Children's Society. And last night their father came to get them.

In its last analysis Clarence and Alfred Stebbins have the moon to thank for the sudden halting of their Alaskan trip. But they didn't seem to have a single grudge last night when they started home. They did have some fears.

TO CONTEST SEATING SENATOR

Democrats Who Oppose Racing Bills Would Fight Filling the Vacancy.

Special to The New York Times.

ALBANY, April 17.—The report that Democrats of the Forty-seventh Senate District will not contest the special election in that district May 12 has led politicians here to believe that the Democrats in the Senate who voted against the anti-gambling bills will contest the right of the successful candidate to the seat.

The basis of a contest would be that the present Senate is a de facto body, and that no vacancy in that body can be filled until the election of a new Senate under the provisions of the reapportionment of last year.

The opponents of the race track bills are asserting that they will have more votes when the issue is brought up again, so there will be no question as to the seating of a new member.

Gov. Hughes to-day received a delegation of residents of Troy, who invited him to speak at an anti-gambling meeting to be held a week from Sunday.

The Governor has another invitation to speak in Plymouth Church, Brooklyn, on the same day.

NEW BANKING LAW.

Illegal for Bank Officers to Make Deposits on Condition of Loan.

ALBANY, N. Y., April 17.—Gov. Hughes to-day signed the new law making it illegal for officers or employes of a bank to make deposits with other banking institutions on the condition that the institution receiving the deposits shall make an advance or loan to any officer of the bank making the deposit with it.

CAR HITS WAGON; 3 HURT.

One Man Has Several Ribs Broken at Lexington Av. and 39th St.

Three men were injured and a car of passengers were thrown into a small-sized panic last night when a northbound Lexington Avenue street car crashed into a wagon of a soap company at the corner of Thirty-ninth Street, throwing the three men who were on the wagon to the street and smashing the front of the car.

The injured are George Sellman of 305 East Ninetieth Street, driver of the wagon, several fractured ribs and lacerations of the back, removed to Bellevue Hospital; Gustav Seffer of 122 East 127th Street, driver's helper, and John Berger of 405 East Forty-sixth Street, also driver, slight lacerations and contusions; taken home.

Motorman Eugene Gilligan and Conductor William Edwards of the Lexington Avenue car were not injured. Gilligan said that Sellman drove the wagon on to the track directly in front of his car so suddenly that he had no chance to avert the collision.

ASKS GOV. HUGHES TO OUST CORONER NUTT

Charged That Queens Official Retained $94 Taken from A. R. Von Der Zweep's Body.

PAID A JUDGMENT OBTAINED

Coroner Says That He Held Railroad Victim's Effects in His Safe Until Court Action Was Brought.

Special to The New York Times.

ALBANY, N. Y., April 17.—Gov. Hughes was to-day asked to remove Samuel D. Nutt as Coroner of Queens County by Arnold Davidson of 269 Macon Street, Brooklyn. The request is based upon the allegation that last August Nutt took from the body of A. R. Von Der Zweep, who was killed by the cars on the Long Island Traction at Valley Stream, the sum of $94 for which he failed to account.

It is declared that John R. Planten, executor of the estate of Von Der Zweep, made a demand for the funds, and failed to get them. He sued, and obtained a judgment for $103, which, it is charged, Coroner Nutt paid.

Coroner Nutt declared hotly last night that the charges were inspired by malice and spite. He declined, however, to explain what motive Mr. Davidson might have had, and refused to tell anything about him except to say that he was a man who was annoying him.

The Coroner said he locked up all of the valuables of Mr. Von Der Zweep in a safe in the Coroner's office in Jamaica. Then he became ill, and the judgment against him was entered, which, he says, he satisfied in obedience to the order of the court.

To Transfer Hamilton Mansion to City

Special to The New York Times.

ALBANY, N. Y., April 17.—The bill authorizing St. Luke's Church of New York to transfer to the City of New York the Alexander Hamilton mansion at the corner of 141st Street and Convent Avenue was one of the fifty-seven measures passed by the Senate to-day. The bill authorizes the city to remove the building to that portion of St. Nicholas Park known as the Alexander Hamilton farm.

Senate for Semi-Monthly Railroad Pay.

Special to The New York Times.

ALBANY, N. Y., April 17.—Assemblyman Filley's bill amending the labor law by requiring companies operating steam railroads to pay their employes twice a month was passed by the Senate to-day. The bill now goes to the Governor, and it is said he will not sign it.

Last of the Congestion Exhibit.

The Conference on Congestion of Population closed last night with a meeting in Historical Hall, Pierrepont and Clinton Streets, Brooklyn, at which addresses were delivered by Lawson Purdy, President of the Board of Taxes and Assessment, and Edward M. Bassett, member of the Public Service Commission. John B. Creighton gave an illustrated lecture on the development of New York.

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44 CAR VICTIMS IN MARCH.

Public Service Records Show a Sharp Increase in Accidents.

Forty-four persons were killed on the traction lines and railroads in New York City last month, eighteen more than in February. The table of accidents for March was made public yesterday at the open meeting of the Public Service Commission. It was as follows:

	Jan.	Feb.	Mch.
Struck by cars	934	945	905
Car collisions	170	203	146
Boarding	479	412	574
Alighting	416	286	454
Contact with electricity	34	38	27
Other accidents	1,888	2,069	2,245
Total	3,921	3,951	4,353

Of the above the injuries are classified as follows:

Passengers	1,444	1,219	1,523
Persons not passengers	570	462	632
Employes	486	476	474
Total	2,500	2,157	2,631

Of the above injuries the following were serious:

Killed	44	26	44
Fractured skulls	15	15	8
Amputated limbs	6	5	1
Broken limbs	32	24	33
Other serious	91	61	101
Total	188	139	187

So far the number of persons killed each month since the commission was appointed has always exceeded forty, except in February.

LEFT $1,000 TO ORPHANAGE.

Will of Wife of Banker Edward Wasserman Makes Him Chief Beneficiary.

The public bequests of Mrs. Emma Seligman Wasserman, wife of Edward Wasserman, the banker and broker of 33 West Fifty-sixth Street and 42 Broadway, as contained in her will filed for probate with the Surrogate yesterday, are $1,000 to the Hebrew Benevolent and Orphan Asylum, $500 to the New York Fire Department Relief Fund, and a similar amount to the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals.

Her husband is made executor and chief beneficiary of the will, which also contains bequests to servants. The estate is declared in the petition to be worth more than $10,000, and is said to be valued at $200,000.

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You will find an immense range of new and exclusive patterns in fabrics.

You will find Clothing expressly designed for us by the cleverest designers in the country and manifesting the most thorough and expressive tailor work.

You will find prices no higher, often somewhat lower, than ordinary prices for ordinary Clothing.

Test these things for yourself. We are keyed up to give the best service to men we ever gave. And heading the list of good things is a group of

$20 to $28 Spring Suits at $16.50.

They were made of short lengths of the smartest spring fabrics—enough for two to half a dozen Suits alike. There are handsome new browns, tans and grays. There are several distinct models and Suits to fit all men between 34 and 46-inch chest measure. It is the best offering of the kind we ever knew at this season.

Prices in the regular stocks run this way:

Business Sack Suits...$12.50 to $35
Frock Coats and Waistcoats $20 to $35
Cutaway Coats and Waistcoats $15 to $25
Light weight Overcoats $12.50 to $35
Rainproof Coats...$12.50 to $25
Separate fancy Waistcoats $2.50 to $6.50
Separate Trousers...$3.75 to $8

Main Floor, Elm Place Entrance.

$3 & $3.50 Mousquetaire Gloves, $1.69 & $1.98

REAL French kid Mousquetaires in 12 and 16-button lengths. You will find them correct in cut, perfectly made, and of unusually fine French kid. All sizes in black.

$1.50 White Real Kid Gloves at $1 a Pair.

One of the best offerings ever made at an Easter Season. They are two clasp real French Kid Gloves of superb quality and absolutely perfect in every detail of finish and fit. Paris point backs, all in white, for Easter wear.

Main Floor, Bond Street.

$5 and $6 Petticoats, $3.98.

HANDSOME AND BEAUTIFULLY MADE silk Petticoats in a special offering to-day. Black and various colorings. One black taffeta style has deep flounce of plaiting and silk embroidery ruffle. Another jasper striped Petticoat has full flare ruffle finished with black bands.

Second Floor.

Loeser Easter Millinery.

THOSE WHO COME THIS MORNING will find all through the Millinery section Opening Day all over again. Fingers flying in our workrooms with enthusiasm back of them have been preparing especially for Easter Saturday. Loeser Hats will be ready for the choosing, even to late comers—Loeser Hats as perfect in expression of Loeser and Paris Millinery ideals as though the display were really an opening and not the busiest Hat choosing day of the year.

Between $18 and $25
there are Hats of materials brought from Paris and trimmed in our workrooms by Paris taught fingers; Hats of character and style that in most Millinery showings would be priced at double the Loeser cost. This is a Millinery opportunity that is bringing women from Manhattan every day. No Brooklyn woman should miss it.

The Under $12 Millinery
will be in special beauty array for Easter Saturday. Hundreds of these smart and satisfactory Hats, trimmed in our own workrooms after Paris models and including small, medium and large picture effects are being prepared for to-day, and prices will be from $12 down to $5.50.

Children's Easter Millinery, $3.75 to $16.

Second Floor.

Women's Silk Hosiery.
$1.35 to $3.50 Values at $1.

EXTRAORDINARY VALUES—values never matched outside the Loeser Store. Pure thread silk with lace insteps and lace allover designs in black, white, pink, sky, lavender, yellow, nile, Copenhagen, bronze and cardinal; also black pure thread silk with cotton soles.

Women's $2.50 Silk Hose at $1.50.
Pure thread Silk with embroidered insteps, in the most desirable street and evening shades.

Women's $2.50 and $3.50 Silk Hose at $1.98.
Black pure thread silk with hand embroidered insteps in an extensive variety of choice designs.

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Black pure thread silk with hand embroidered insteps in a range of choice designs.

Main Floor.

Easter Clothes for Boys.

AMONG THE THOUSANDS of well-dressed boys on Easter morning there will be many whose Clothes have a special air of distinction. Collars and lapels fit properly. Sleeves are long enough. There is a certain MANLY air about the Clothes which the boys like and have a right to like.

If you could look inside the collars of the coats of these new Suits you would in most cases see a Loeser label.

More than that—if you should see the same Suits two, three, five months from now, you would find that they still held their smart shape; that they still were distinctive and manly.

This Store has set a new pace in the Clothing of boys, because every Suit here is the best expression of a distinct artistic idea. Every Suit was designed to be worn by a live boy. Every Suit shows the honest and thorough workmanship which alone will give PERMANENCE to style and fit.

The full Easter stocks are ready. You will find good service here for the last day of Easter preparation. You will find THE BEST VALUES in Clothes for boys that the same money will buy anywhere:

The newest and exclusive models in Norfolk, double breasted Russian and sailor blouse Suits. Reefers and Top Coats; prices range from $3.98 to $12.98

BOYS' SPRING HEADWEAR. A splendid and complete collection of the prettiest and newest styles in Hats and Caps, embracing many of the best foreign and domestic models; of every desirable material, in cloth, straw and leather; prices range from...49c. to $5.98

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Second Floor, Elm Place Entrance.

"AN UNKNOWN FORCE"

WHICH WILL ULTIMATELY BE FOUND ORDERLY LIKE ALL OTHER FACTS OF NATURE"

¶ That's how Dr. Maxwell speaks of the mysterious something lurking behind the marvels of HAMLIN GARLAND'S

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¶ That sounds cold, but Mr. Garland makes it glow. It's such tremendously good reading that it grows in interest like a detective story.

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TEN SCIENTIFIC MEN

are working at the problem as hard as Crookes. *Can't you see what their work means to the world? How worth while it is to have the subject brought out of the realm of fancy into the world of fact? Why you want to KNOW yourself?*

¶ In addition to this one engrossing subject, there is a wealth of fun, color, and interest in the May number, including a wonder by O. HENRY, and another of those marvelous little studies of "ourselves" by Dr. WILLIAM HANNA THOMSON.

Everybody's Magazine

RUSSIANS CRUSH KURDISH TRIBESMEN

Rout Them in a Hard Fight and Then Destroy Three Villages.

PERSIAN FORCE GATHERING

Shah's Government Protests Against the Russian Invasion — Flood Holds Back Czar's Troops.

TIFLIS, April 17.—The Russian troops which recently invaded Persian territory for the purpose of punishing Kurdish raiders of the Russian garrison at the frontier post, Belesuvar, April 13, acted with a promptitude calculated to overawe the tribes.

The fight assumed the proportions of a pitched battle. The Russians were greatly outnumbered, but they routed the Persians, inflicting a loss of thirty-four men killed and fifty wounded. The remainder of the tribesmen fled. The Russians lost one officer and seven soldiers wounded.

The cannonade set fire to the village of Belesuvar, the destruction of which was completed by the Cossacks after a ruthless house-to-house search for the Russian arms stolen during the raid of April 13. Pressing their advantage, the Russians bombarded the neighboring villages of Kodshabeklu and Zariah and razed both. The non-combatants suffered great losses.

The conflict is being waged in the mountain range of Kara Dagh, which wedges in the Russian boundary and is the traditional kingdom of robber tribes, who boast thousands of fighters equipped with modern arms and organized with a semblance of military discipline. The robbers have cut the telegraph line in order to hamper the mobilization of an expedition which Persia is assembling against them at Tabriz.

The Russian expeditionary force now on Persian soil consists of 400 Cossacks, a squad of sharpshooters, and a battery of machine guns. It was intended to send a much larger force, but a big flood in the Aras River hinders the concentration of reinforcements from Baku and other points north.

ST. PETERSBURG, April 17.—The Foreign Office has been informed that Persia is sending a military expedition to cooperate with the Russian forces at Belesuvar. Hopes are held here that order speedily will be restored in the disturbed district.

The Russian expedition was sent across the border against the protest of the Persian Government, which wished to undertake alone the task of running down the marauders, but the weakness of the Shah's administration and the danger to Russian interests in the vicinity of the frontier made it necessary for Russia to intervene.

RUSSIA HOPES FOR PEACE.

Foreign Minister Iswolsky Explains the Balkan Situation in the Duma.

ST. PETERSBURG, April 17.—Foreign Minister Iswolsky to-day delivered to the Duma his long-expected statement regarding the Balkan situation. He said he was not able to chronicle any definite achievement toward the settlement of the Macedonian problem, but that the loyal support of the Russian programme by Austria-Hungary, Germany, Italy, and France, and its partial approval by Great Britain, was full of promise.

Reforms in Macedonia were imperatively necessary, but any new programme would be impossible unless it was supported by the unanimous co-operation of all the powers. Russia was obliged for this reason to reject the proposal advanced by Great Britain. The Russian plan, the Foreign Minister continued, contained neither egoistic designs nor dangerous innovations, and it could be put into execution without danger of bringing on a great conflict.

In conclusion, M. Iswolsky said that the cardinal principle of Russia's present policy was a sound egoism. She needed peace to recuperate from the effects of the struggle with Japan, and she therefore intended at all cost to avoid a break-up of the European concert.

SUSPICIOUS OF BALLOONISTS.

But Russian Officials Found Swedish Officers Passports Correct.

ST. PETERSBURG, April 17.—A balloon containing two Swedish officers dropped at 3 o'clock this afternoon in the orchard of the Kinivi Monastery at Schlusselburg, twenty-one miles east of St. Petersburg. The police found the passports of the aeronauts correct.

Lieut. Moller, chief of the balloon department of the Swedish Army, was in charge of the balloon. He said he left Stockholm at 7 o'clock yesterday evening. After conferring with the Swedish Legation here the officers were permitted to pack their balloon and this evening started for Stockholm by way of Finland.

Notes of Foreign Affairs.

WILLEMSTAD, Island of Curacao, April 17.—Passengers who are awaiting here the arrival of the next Italian steamer from Venezuelan ports are much concerned on account of the quarantine measures taken at Port Limon and Colon against vessels coming from Venezuela, because of the alleged existence of bubonic plague at La Guayra. The Venezuelan authorities decline to admit that the plague exists at that port.

LISBON, April 17.—The country has quieted down, but anxiety is felt for April 20, when Parliament will reassemble. On that occasion King Manuel must personally appear before that body and take the oath to observe the Constitution of Portugal.

BERLIN, April 17.—The North German Lloyd has decided to have some of the slower steamers in its New York service touch at Halifax. This change will be put into operation the middle of next month.

KRASNOYARSK, Siberia, April 17.—A Lieutenant of the army named Masloff and a Sergeant were shot to death here to-day after having been found guilty by a court-martial on the charge that they had led the attack which took place last June on the guardhouse and detention prison of Krasnoyarsk. This attack was continued for several days. After a long investigation the plot was traced to the revolutionary organization in the garrison.

ST. PETERSBURG, April 17.—The Minister of Communication is about to send a commission of engineers to the United States to study the construction and operation of steel cars in that country.

ROME, April 17.—The Government, after considering the international proposition for the excavation of Herculaneum by a system of galleries, believes that the excavation should be conducted along practically the same lines as those at Pompeii.

ROME, April 17.—The murder of an Italian missionary in Tripoli and the persecution by the Ottoman authorities of natives who have sold land to Italians are causing considerable irritation. Protest against these actions have been lodged with the Italian Government.

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COLOMBIA IS PEACEFUL.

President Reyes's Journey Is for the Purpose of Developing Industries.

C. M. Sarria, the Colombian Consul General in New York, yesterday denied the report from Panama that there was imminent risk of a revolution in Colombia, and that President Reyes was retiring temporarily from the Presidency.

"There is perfect peace and general contentment in Colombia," he said. "The reason for the departure of President Reyes from Bogota is contained in a cable from him yesterday to the foreign legations and Consuls.

"'Taking advantage of the perfect tranquillity the country is now enjoying,' he said, 'I propose to visit the departments of the Atlantic Coast in order to develop national industries in those regions. During my absence Gen. Euclides de Angulo, Minister of Finance, will exercise the functions of President, and there will be no change whatever in the Ministry.'"

SHARP FIGHT IN ALGERIA.

Tribesmen Are Routed by a French Force Which Loses Heavily.

COLOMB BECHAR, Algeria, April 17.—A French column posted on Talzaza Hill, which commands the Plain of Tamlet, was attacked fiercely at daylight yesterday by a number of Berbers, who, with nomad Arabs, have been concentrating for some weeks on the western frontier of Algeria.

Although surprised, the French force rallied and fought desperately, succeeding not only in beating off the enemy, but in pursuing them for six miles. The Arabs in their headlong flight abandoned their dead and wounded.

This French victory was costly. Twenty-eight men, including an officer, were killed, and 100 men, including 10 officers, were wounded. The losses were greatest in the Foreign Legion. The Berber losses were much heavier, 125 bodies being found by the French troops.

TRUST BUSTERS IN RUSSIA.

Duma Members Propose to Inquire Into Metallurgical Combination.

ST. PETERSBURG, April 17.—A group of Octobrists and other members of the Duma propose to inaugurate a campaign in the House against the growth of great corporations in Russia. It is their purpose to interpellate the Government regarding the big metallurgical trust now in course of formation, which will control 60 per cent. of the steel production of Russia as well as extensive coal and iron mines. They allege that this trust will drive outsiders into bankruptcy.

Russia already has legislation against combination in restrain of trade, but syndicates subject to Government regulation are permitted.

Boy Shoots His Baby Sister.

TRENTON, N. J., April 17.—While playing soldier to-day with a shotgun 7-year-old Tony Louise shot his baby sister, 8 months old and she is dying in the hospital. The shot barely missed Rosa, another sister, who was holding the baby. The boy was arrested and is heartbroken over the tragic accident.

Chase for a Whale Fails.

AMAGANSETT, L. I., April 17.—A whale was seen spouting several miles out at sea here this morning, and though a boat was launched and pursuit given the leviathain easily escaped his pursuers.

HOLDS MOB AT BAY AND GETS HIS MAN

Detective Londrigan Has a Hard Fight with an Italian in Mulberry Bend.

TRACED HIM BY A SCAR

Prisoner Identified by Dying Man in the Hospital as Man Who Shot Him Last Monday.

With no other description of his man than that he had a bullet wound scar above his right eye Detective Londrigan of the Mercer Street Station set out on last Tuesday to run down an Italian who on Monday night shot Alfred Pino of 125 Macdougal Street at Sixth Avenue and Fourth Street. Pino is in St. Vincent's Hospital.

Londrigan learned that the assailant was a desperado who had been compelled to flee from Sicily. The detective saw a man with the scar of a bullet wound over his right eye in Mulberry Bend Park yesterday afternoon. He suddenly sprang upon him.

The fellow, who was muscularly built and stood a full head over the detective, threw Londrigan from him. He drew a pistol from his pocket and pressed it against Londrigan's head. Londrigan, who is a good wrestler, struck the gun, and, closing with the Italian, threw him to the ground.

The fight caused a large crowd to gather, and a crowd of Italians looked on laughing. The detective did not wear his uniform. He seemed no match for his opponent, but in a minute or two he had wriggled from the Italian's grasp. Still clinging to the latter's gun hand, he got his own weapon out of his pocket. He lifted it in the air and brought it down on the Italian's head. As he repeated the blow there rose a murmur from the crowd which turned into an angry shout, and a dozen men started toward the detective.

Londrigan felt his opponent's form go limp beneath him, however, and he sprang to his feet, facing the crowd with his revolver. The men drew back, and a moment later the reserves whom some one had called from the Mulberry Street Station reached the place. Londrigan took his prisoner to the station and then to the Jefferson Market Court, where Magistrate Barlow remanded him without bail that his record might be investigated.

The prisoner said he was Raffael Tucci of 128 Mulberry Street. At the hospital Pino identified him as the man who had shot him. The wounded man said he did not know Tucci before the shooting, and did not know why he should have shot him, except that he had been receiving many Black Hand letters.

The police say that besides having a criminal record in Italy, Tucci is wanted in Brooklyn for the theft of $1,000 worth of jewelry.

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Tan kid and tan Russia calf, 1 and 3-eyelet Christy ties with wide silk ribbons; medium Cuban heels; non-slip linings. Sizes 2½ to 8; widths A to E.

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All Clothing purchased in Brill Stores up to 9 P. M. to-day will be altered (if necessary) and delivered in time for wear to-morrow, Easter Sunday Morning.

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Dry Goods

Below is a summary of the day-before-Easter news at this store. While the material side of Easter is in evidence in the form of abundant and attractively-priced merchandise — the spirit of gladness pervades the entire store. It is a well-worth-while visit that you'll make here to-day:

Display of Easter Flowers.

Full-grown, blooming Easter flowers and plants—hundreds of them—are banked in profusion right in the centre of the main floor. The fresh, magnificent display will delight every woman who sees it:

Easter Lilies, at 19c a bud
Azaleas, at 1.25 to 2.00
Hydrangeas, at 2.50
Crimson Ramblers, at 1.50 to 4.50
Spireas, at 1.00 to 1.50
Hyacinths, at 25c
Lily of the Valley, at 1.25
Genistas, at 1.00 to 2.00
Rhododendrons, at 1.50 and 2.00

Not subject to return or exchange. None delivered C. O. D. Delivery made along our regular routes *only*, by wagons leaving this store.

Reception and Lounging Room; tea served (without charge) throughout the day. Take 18th or 19th Street elevators to fourth floor.

Women's Misses' and Girls' Ready-to-Wear Apparel for Easter; boundless selection, distinctive styles; unheard-of-values.

Trimmed Millinery; unusually smart models that will stand apart in to-morrow's parade.

Boys' Easter Suits at 6.50; value 8.50 to 10.00.

Boys' and Girls' Easter Shoes.

Neckwear, Veilings and Handkerchiefs; underpriced.

Untrimmed Hats, Feathers and Flowers.

Sale of Muslin Undergarments.

Men's Easter Furnishings; a Saturday sale.

Women's Featherbone Stock Collar Foundations; regularly 10c each, at 5c

Peroxide of Hydrogen; in ¼ lb., ½ lb. and 1 lb. sizes, at 10c, 15c and 25c.

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$1.65 Box of 50 — 3 for 10 Cts. — **HENRY GEORGE** — On the preferred list of well-known 5c. Cigars—a surprise for the money.

$1.50 Box of 25 — 6 Cts. Each — **CAPT. MARRYAT Invincibles** — A fine Domestic Cigar of the kind usually sold by others at three-for-a-quarter.

$1.50 Box of 25 — 4 for 25 Cts. — **PALMA de CUBA Media Perfectos** — For Havana Cigar smokers. It's a good size too. Can't be matched under 10 cts.

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ROBBERS GET $3,000 IN BANK HOLD-UP

Lock Cashier and Customer in Vault and Walk Through Town with Booty.

MAKE ESCAPE ON HORSES

One Robber Was Well Known to Officers of Chautauqua (Kan.) Bank Which Was Looted.

CHAUTAUQUA, Kan., April 17.—The Citizens' State Bank of this place was robbed of about $3,000 to-day by two men.

Cashier Walterhouse had just opened the bank and placed his currency on the counter for the day's business when the two robbers entered. The only other person in the place was Del Easley, a business man.

One of the robbers was a man well known about town, and when he commanded Walterhouse and Easley to throw up their hands the latter two took it as a joke. But both bandits drew revolvers and, pointing them at their victims, ordered them to get into the vault. Walterhouse and Easley complied. The robbers slammed the door shut and then looted the bank.

After they had drawn down the window shades and locked the doors to prevent interference they scraped up all the money in sight, walked out the front entrance, and up the main street. One of the men carried a gunnysack. Several persons who knew him greeted him. A block away from the bank they mounted horses that were waiting and rode off. After going a few blocks from the centre of the town they directed their horses south toward the Oklahoma-Kansas State line.

The robbery was not discovered till half an hour later, when J. H. Edwards, President of the bank, entered his office. After releasing Walterhouse and Easley from the vault, President Edwards gave the alarm and notified surrounding towns. Within another thirty minutes posses had been made up in Chautauqua and at Elgin and Sedan, Kan., and Pawnuska, Okla., all near the scene of the robbery, and from three sides armed men began a hot chase after the robbers.

C. C. Walterhouse, the cashier, said that one of the robbers was William Tenant, aged twenty-three years, formerly of Chautauqua, who recently escaped from jail at Nowata, Okla., where he was being held on a charge of horse stealing.

EXPRESS TRAIN HELD UP.

Robbers on Northern Pacific Got $41 and Two Watches.

MINNEAPOLIS, April 17.—A westbound Northern Pacific coast train, which left here last night, was held up by two men just outside the city limits, and $41 and two watches were taken from the passengers.

TREASURY SLEUTH RETURNS.

W. H. Theobald Back from Paris, After Watching Smugglers.

Silence is maintained by customs officials regarding the visit to this country of William H. Theobald, a special agent in the employ of the Treasury Department. Mr. Theobald has been on a special mission for the Government in Paris. Several years ago he figured in several spectacular seizures of passengers' baggage.

Theobald brought about the seizure of jewelry alleged to have been smuggled by Mrs. Phyllis E. Dodge. He also figured in the seizure of a pearl necklace valued at $60,000 belonging to Mrs. Harrison Dulles, a Philadelphian. After many complaints against Theobald's methods had been filed with the Government, Secretary Shaw dropped him, but last Fall he was reinstated. During his last stay in the French capital, it is reported the special agent devoted his time to watching the purchases of American dressmakers and diamond merchants.

THOUGHT BAKER CRAZY.

Dr. Gibbons Testifies That He Went to Sleep at Table.

Special to The New York Times.

BOSTON, April 17.—Clashes between counsel were frequent in the hearing on Walter F. Baker's will to-day. Dr. Sherman Gibbons of Los Angeles described the peculiar and awkward actions of Walter at table when he sometimes went to sleep, and other incidents which convinced him that Walter Baker's mind was not sound.

He said he asked both Mrs. Hurd and Mrs. Young if they knew of the existence of any will and both denied such knowledge.

On cross-examination an attempt was made to go into the domestic history of Edward F. Baker, the brother who contests the will. Baker is separated from his wife.

COAL MINERS RESUME MONDAY

Reach an Agreement with Operators Which Pleases Both Sides.

TOLEDO, Ohio, April 17.—The 200,000 idle coal miners in the central competitive district will go to work next Monday. An amicable agreement between miners and operators was reached to-day by members of the Scale Committee, and this agreement was later ratified by the joint meeting of the miners and operators.

Both sides are satisfied with the results of the convention. The terms of the agreement provide for a general resumption of work throughout the district Monday. Miners and operators declare there is now a more harmonious feeling between them than has existed in years.

JAPANESE WANTED TO ENLIST.

Flied When Recruiting Sergeant Told Him He Must Swear Allegiance.

MILWAUKEE, April 17.—A Japanese who gave his name as H. Hamashi applied yesterday for enlistment in the United States Marine Corps at the recruiting office here.

He first said he was a Filipino, but was forced to admit he was a Japanese and that he was trying to get to the Philippine Islands.

"Well," said Sergt. Younce, "you'll have to take the oath of allegiance." He reached for a book, but Hamashi had fled.

THE UNITED SERVICE.

Special to The New York Times.

The Army.

WASHINGTON, April 17.—Capt. H. D. Bekely, Twelfth Cavalry, detailed to fill a vacancy in the Quartermaster's Department.

First Lieut. L. R. Ball, Thirteenth Cavalry, relieved from duty at University of Florida, Gainesville, Fla., and to proceed to Fort Riley, Kansas, reporting to the commandant of the Mounted Service School for course of instructions.

Major E. S. Walker, U. S. A., retired, detailed as professor of military science and tactics at University of Florida, Gainesville, Fla.

Major J. W. Heard, Fifth Cavalry, recruiting officer, Boston, to proceed to Concord, Mass., to procure evidence in trial of an enlisted man

First Lieut. L. J. Van Schaick, Fourth Infantry, relieved from duty as Inspector of Philippine Constabulary and report to the Governor General of the Philippine Islands for assignment as Governor of Mindoro.

The Navy.

Commander R. M. Doyle detached from the Chicago to the navy yard, Portsmouth, N. H., for duty as Captain of the yard.

Lieut. Commander R. B. Higgins, detached from duty at Bureau of Navigation to home and wait orders.

Surgeon P. Leach to the Hancock, navy yard, New York.

Surgeon W. M. Wheeler detached from the Cleveland to home and wait orders.

Movements of Naval Vessels.

Sailed—California from Seattle for Bremerton; Dolphin, Paducah, and Marietta from Guantanamo for target grounds; Maryland from Mare Island for Bremerton.

BANK MERGER TALK REVIVED.

Rumors About City Bank and Bank of Commerce Based on Rise in Stock.

Reports current from time to time in the last two years that negotiations were in progress looking to a merger of the National City Bank and the National Bank of Commerce were revived yesterday, with the addition of a statement that the merger was now in process of being accomplished. Inquiry in quarters intimately connected with each institution disclosed that there have been no recent developments to change the situation as it has existed for months.

For a long time individuals largely interested in both the National City Bank and the National Bank of Commerce have believed that it would be a good plan for all concerned to have a merged institution, with a capital of $50,000,000, a surplus of $9,000,000, and deposits in excess of $350,000,000, but there are others, particularly in the National Bank of Commerce, who have serious objections to allowing that institution to surrender its identity, as it undoubtedly would do in the event of a merger with the National City Bank.

Rejuvenation of the merger talk was due to the rapid advance of National Bank of Commerce stock within the last week or so. It has gone from $135 a share to $175. For a long time after the October panic, however, the stock of the Bank of Commerce sold far below its book value of approximately $157 a share. The bank has been earning 8 per cent. on a valuation of $200 a share, so that it presented an attractive investment at the figures at which it has been selling. This more than any other cause is taken as accounting in large measure for the recent advance.

TO TRY MUSIC DIRECTOR RIX.

Alleged Public School Piano Graft Will Come Up for Hearing on Monday.

Frank R. Rix, a Director of Music of the New York public schools, will be put on trial before the Committee on Buildings of the Board of Education Monday afternoon, charged with misconduct and neglect of duty.

Mr. Rix was suspended by President Winthrop of the Board of Education on Feb. 17 in connection with the alleged acceptance of a number of pianos with refinished cases as new, and which the city was asked to pay for as new. About a dozen of such pianos are alleged to have been accepted, some by Caleb W. Cameron, who has been already fined forty days' pay, and others by Musical Director Rix, who inspects pianos for Queens and Richmond.

A large number of witnesses have been summoned. It is expected that the findings of the committee will be made to the board at its regular meeting next Wednesday.

FIGHT BILL FAVORING AUTOS.

Assemblyman Merritt's Measure on Highway Control Rouses Park Board.

At a conference of Park Commissioners, Smith of Manhattan, Berry of the Bronx, and Kennedy of Brooklyn, yesterday, a resolution was passed stating that the Park Board is opposed to the bill now before the Legislature, which, if made a law, the Commissioners say, will deprive them of the control of park highways, thereby permitting practically unlimited speed, the entrance to the parks of business motor vehicles and the use of tire chains, which, they declare, tear up the macadam roads.

The Commissioners say that since the enactment of a Park ordinance Dec. 5, 1907, which prevented the further use of tire chains or other non-skidding devices in the parks and highways under their supervision, the automobilists have been awaiting a chance to get a bill through the Legislature which would take away the control the Commissioners now have over the park highways.

The bill is in the hands of Assemblyman Merritt.

The Corporation Counsel will be requested to fight the bill.

OLD MAN FALLS FAR; BREAKS ONLY AN ARM

Wife Tries in Vain to Stop Him from Jumping Out of the Window.

CRASHES THROUGH A ROOF

McManus Got Weary of "Just Walking the Streets" After His Brother Died.

Startled by the cries of her pet parrot on the fire escape, Mrs. Patrick McManus, who has lived all of her seventy years at 4 Macdougal Street, ran into the kitchen at 10:30 o'clock yesterday morning and saw her husband, her senior by four years, climbing out of the window. With an energy surprising in a woman of her years, Mrs. McManus seized his coat and held on while she alternately called for help and abjured her husband not to make a fool of himself, "An' all the neighbors looking at yez; come back in now an' be dacent."

But with a wrench old McManus tore loose and plunged down from the third story upon the roof of a coal shed in the back yard. The old man crashed right through the roof and was picked up by some persons who were eating in the restaurant at 4 Macdougal Street.

When the physicians from the Hudson Street Hospital examined McManus they found that his only injuries were a broken arm and the shock to his system, as the shed had broken his fall. The old man was removed to Bellevue Hospital at first, but was taken last night, in an automobile to a private hospital by friends who promised to look after him.

The McManuses are regarded as comparatively well-to-do. When seen last night Mrs. McManus said she knew of no reason for her husband's act beyond the fact that he had recently lost his brother and had been out of work for a year.

"I did my best to stop him," she said. "We've been married over fifty years, and he has been a good husband. Since his brother died he has nowhere to go except walk about the streets, and I think it preyed on his mind."

The neighbors in the house all spoke well of the McManuses, and the physicians at the private hospital sent word that the old man should have every care and promised that he would soon be back to rejoin the partner of his joys and sorrows for a half century.

Seligman-Hillquit Socialist Debate.

A debate on Socialism will take place in Cooper Union on the evening of May 6, the affirmative side to be defended by Morris Hillquit and the negative by Prof. E. R. A. Seligman, MacVickar Professor of Political Economy at Columbia University. John Spargo will preside. On this same platform, about two years ago, in a debate on the same subject, Prof. Seligman had a memorable bout with Gaylord Wilshire, the Socialist editor.

UTILITIES BOARD SUES B. R. T.

Asks $2,400 for Company's Failure to Keep Wrecking Car at Bridge.

The Public Service Commission, for the first time in its history, instructed its counsel yesterday to begin suit to collect the penalty provided for by the Public Service Commission's act for failure to obey an order of the commission. The defendant is the Brooklyn Elevated Railroad Company and the amount involved $2,400.

On Feb. 13 the commission, after holding a public hearing, directed the company to install a wrecking car at the Brooklyn terminal of the Brooklyn Bridge, so that time might be saved in making repairs to cars that had broken down on the bridge and were obstructing traffic. The company accepted the order and gave the commission to understand that it would be obeyed.

No wrecking car has been kept at the Brooklyn terminal of the bridge, and it was announced yesterday that the commission's counsel had been instructed to begin suit to recover $50 a day for each day since March 1, on which date the order became operative.

It is expected that the Brooklyn Rapid Transit Company, of which the elevated company is a constituent company, will fight the case and attack the constitutionality of the Public Service act.

NESTOR DIES OF HIS WOUNDS.

Ex-Pugilist In Ante-Mortem Statement Says William Roach Shot Him.

Edward Nestor, the ex-pugilist, who was was shot at the base of the spine in a row in Michael Miller's pool parlor, at 241 East Fifty-seventh Street, on Thursday night, died late yesterday afternoon in Flower Hospital.

In an ante-mortem statement made to Coroner Harburger Nestor said that William Roach of 336 East Fifty-third Street was the man who shot him, and corroborated the story which Roach told to the police when he was arrested on Thursday night that they had quarreled over a young woman.

Roach is now locked up in the East Fifty-first Street Station on a charge of homicide.

STEAMSHIP HELD UP BY SEIZURE OF BEER

Seguranca Detained at Sailing Hour While Fifty Barrels Are Unloaded.

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Action Taken by Federal Marshal in Brooklyn Under the Pure Food Law.

The sailing of the Ward Line steamship Seguranca for Cuba yesterday was delayed for an hour and a half owing to a seizure made by Federal officials of 3,000 bottles of beer under the Pure Food act. The beer was mislabeled St. Louis Bohemian beer when it had been brewed and bottled in Brooklyn.

While the beer was being removed, some one telephoned to the Brooklyn brewer who had put it on board, and soon a message was received by Revenue Officer Cole from the Surveyor's office in New York not to take any more of the beer out of the ship. An Inspector insisted upon having Regulation 19, Section C of the law carried out, which states that the State or Territory where an article is manufactured or produced shall be stated on the label.

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Rt. Hon. Winston S. Churchill, M. P.

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GERMAN BATTERY REPELS YANKEES

Schlitzer and Schreckengost Repulse Attack of the New York Batsmen.

ATHLETICS WIN BATTLE

Staid Quakers Find Vulnerable Spots in Firing of Chesbro After Orth Retires—Shoes and Cigars for Nicholls.

Results of Yesterday's Games.

Philadelphia, 8; New York, 2.
Washington, 2; Boston, 1.
St. Louis, 1; Chicago, 0.
Cleveland, 12; Detroit, 8.

Where They Play To-Day.

Washington at New York.
Philadelphia at Boston.
Cleveland at Detroit.
St. Louis at Chicago.

Standing of the Clubs.

	W.	L.	P. C.		W.	L.	P. C.
St. Louis	3	0	1,000	Detroit	1	2	.333
New York	2	1	.667	Cleveland	1	2	.333
Boston	2	1	.667	Philadelphia	1	2	.333
Chicago	1	2	.333	Washington	1	2	.333

Coming unheralded from the ball yard of the Athletics near Germantown, Penn., a new German battery—Messrs. Schlitzer and Schreckengost—stood on the firing line on Washington Heights yesterday against the Yankees, and slaughtered the Grriffith forces in an unmerciful manner. Score, 8 to 2. The German pitcher, Schlitzer, gained most of his baseball knowledge in the California League, and when he was about ripe for better company Manager Mack plucked him. With the exception of one short period the recruit passed through his first major league battle without smelling smoke. The young man and two of his fellows were just lax enough in the sixth to permit two of the Yankees to hang up runs, with the aid of a two-base wallop by Stahl that Moran picked off the fence, and one or two other things of less importance. Mr. Schlitzer looked as if he had come to stay in the big league.

Mr. Schreckengost, forming the receiving end of this new German battery, is no newcomer, nor is he as "old as the hills." He gained his chief distinction as tamer of Rube Waddell and as a player who could catch with one hand nearly as well as with two. Shortly after his début with the Athletics part of his name was sawed off to avoid the necessity of printers having to make it read something like Schr'k'n't in the box scores. Now Schreckengost is known both professionally and socially as Schreck. The work of the pair yesterday indicated that there will be another pretzel battery to achieve success similar to that attained by Getzein and Ganzel years ago in St. Louis.

Mr. Nicholls, whose superior playing at short field crowded Monte Cross into a minor league, earned a new pair of shoes and a box of "two-fors" by smashing out a home run, the first of the local season.

The game was in striking contrast to the first two contests. Errors of omission and commission followed upon each other with painful regularity. Instead of the finished article of baseball that characterized the two victories of the New York team, the players appeared ill at ease and performed like a minor league team. To complete the disgust of the 5,000-odd fans, who sat shivering through the contest, Manager Griffith substituted Chesbro for Orth, after the latter had held his opponents down to two hits in five innings, with the result that the once-famous moist-ball artist weakened in the seventh inning and the Quakers piled up five runs on as many hits and a couple of errors, placing the contest beyond the realm of all reasonable doubt.

Several of the errors were doubtless due to the cold weather, which made heavy overcoats a necessity for the spectators, but at least six out of the nine misplays were the result of poor fielding for which no extenuation can be offered. Although the Yankees made only four hits, two were triples and one a double. The two runs scored by the home team were made on two fumbles, two wild pitches, and a two-base hit. The score:

NEW YORK.	R	H	PO	A	E
Niles, 2b.	0	1	0	4	1
Keeler, rf.	1	0	2	0	0
Stahl, lf.	0	1	1	0	0
Elb'f'd, ss.	0	0	0	3	0
Chase, 1b.	0	0	16	0	1
H'phill, cf.	0	1	2	0	0
Conroy, 3b.	0	0	2	2	2
Kleinow, c.	0	1	4	2	0
Orth, p.	0	0	0	1	0
Chesbro, p.	1	0	0	1	1
Total	2	4	27	18	5

PHILADELPHIA.	R	H	PO	A	E
Hartsel, lf.	1	0	1	0	0
Nicholls, ss.	2	1	2	2	1
Collins, 3b.	2	1	1	2	2
Davis, 1b.	1	1	14	0	0
Murphy, 2b.	0	1	0	2	0
Coombs, rf.	1	2	2	0	0
Moran, cf.	0	0	1	1	0
Schreck, c.	1	1	6	2	0
Schlitzer, p.	0	0	0	4	1
Total	8	7	27	16	4

New York	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	—2
Philadelphia	0	0	0	3	0	0	5	0	0	—8

Three-base hits—Hemphill, Niles. Home run—Nicholls. Sacrifice hits—Keeler, Murphy. First base on balls—Off Chesbro, 1; off Schlitzer, 1. First base on errors—New York, 3; Philadelphia, 2. Struck out—By Chesbro, 4; by Schlitzer, 4. Hits—Off Orth, 2 in five innings; off Chesbro, 5 in four innings. Left on bases—New York, 5; Philadelphia, 3. Wild pitches—Schlitzer, 2. Time of game—One hour and forty-eight minutes. Umpires—Messrs. Hurst and Connolly.

Champions Beaten in Twelfth.

DETROIT, April 17.—The local team, after cutting down a five-run lead by bringing in three runs in the sixth and tieing the contest in the ninth and again in the eleventh, lost to-day's game in the twelfth, when Mullin weakened. Cobb and Lajoie did some great batting with men on bases, while Schaefer hit the ball safely every time that he came up. It was opening day here and the attendance set a new local record. Score:

DETROIT.	R	H	PO	A	E
M'Intyre, lf.	2	0	6	1	0
Sch'fer, 2b.	2	5	4	2	0
Crawf'd, cf.	1	0	2	0	0
Cobb, rf.	0	3	0	0	0
R'sman, 1b.	0	0	19	1	0
C'ghlin, 3b.	0	1	0	5	0
Schmidt, c.	0	0	1	6	0
O'Leary, ss.	3	2	3	4	1
Mullin, p.	1	1	1	6	0
Total	8	12	36	25	1

CLEVELAND.	R	H	PO	A	E
J. Clarke, lf.	3	3	1	0	0
Bradley, 3b.	1	2	2	3	1
Stovall, 1b.	2	3	16	1	0
Lajoie, 2b.	2	3	5	7	1
Turner, ss.	0	2	2	6	0
N. Clarke, p.	1	1	5	1	1
B'm'h'm, cf.	0	2	3	0	0
H'chman, rf.	2	3	1	0	0
Lat'mer, p.	0	1	0	1	0
Joss, p.	1	0	1	0	0
Total	12	20	36	19	8

Detroit	0	0	0	0	0	3	1	0	2	0	2	0	—8
Cleveland	0	1	2	1	0	1	0	0	1	0	2	4	—12

Two-base hits—Schaefer, Stovall, Lajoie, Turner, Birmingham, Hinchman, (3.) Hits—Off Lattimer, 9 in 8 2-3 innings; off Joss, 3 in 3 1-3 innings. Sacrifice hits—Bradley, (2;) Turner, N. Clarke, Lattimer, Schaefer, Cobb, O'Leary, Lajoie. Left on bases—Detroit, 11; Cleveland, 10. First base on balls—Off Mullin, 4; off Lattimer, 4; off Joss, 2. First base on errors—Detroit, 1; Cleveland, 1. Struck out—By Lattimer, 3; by Joss, 1. Time of game—Two hours and fifty-two minutes. Umpire—Mr. Evans.

Waddell Pitches Wonderful Game.

CHICAGO, April 17.—Waddell's pitching was responsible for the defeat of Chicago by St. Louis, by the score of 1 to 0. Atz was the only batsman to get a safe hit for the locals, and only one ball was batted past the infield. St. Louis's run was due to a base on balls, a sacrifice, and Ferris's single. The score:

CHICAGO.	R	H	PO	A	E
Hahn, rf.	0	0	2	0	0
F. Jones, cf.	0	0	1	0	0
D'gh'ty, lf.	0	0	1	0	0
Parent, ss.	0	0	6	2	0
Atz, 2b.	0	1	2	3	0
Donohue, 1b.	0	0	10	1	0
T'nehill, 3b.	0	0	1	4	0
Sullivan, c.	0	0	4	2	0
Owen, p.	0	0	0	5	0
*Anderson	0	0	0	0	0
Walsh, p.	0	0	0	1	0
Total	0	1	27	18	0

ST. LOUIS.	R	H	PO	A	E
H'fman, rf.	0	0	0	0	0
O. Jones, cf.	0	0	0	0	0
Stone, lf.	0	2	1	0	0
W'liams, 2b.	1	0	2	2	0
Wallace, ss.	0	0	0	2	1
Ferris, 3b.	0	2	4	3	0
T. Jones, 1b.	0	0	15	0	0
Spencer, c.	0	1	5	1	0
Waddell, p.	0	0	0	6	0
Total	1	5	27	14	1

*Batted for Owen in eighth inning.

Chicago	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—0
St. Louis	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	—1

Hits—Off Owen, 4 in eight innings; off Walsh, 1 in one inning. Sacrifice hits—Donohue, Wallace. Double play—Tannehill, Atz, and Donohue. Left on bases—St. Louis, 4; Chicago, 5. Bases on balls—Off Owen, 4; off Waddell, 4. Struck out—By Waddell, 4; by Owen, 1; by Walsh, 1. Time of game—One hour and thirty-seven minutes. Umpires—Messrs. O'Loughlin and Egan.

Falkenburg Wins for Senators.

BOSTON, Mass., April 17.—Falkenburg was effective with men on bases to-day and Washington won, 2 to 1. Washington scored in the first on Pickering's two-bagger, Ganley's sacrifice, and Pruitt's error, and again in the third on a base on balls, a sacrifice, and a single. Unglaub's two-bagger, a sacrifice, and Criger's three-base hit gave the home team its only run in the fifth. The score:

BOSTON.	R	H	PO	A	E
Thoney, lf.	0	0	1	0	0
Lord, 3b.	0	1	0	8	0
McHale, cf.	0	1	1	0	0
Gessler, rf.	0	1	4	1	0
Laporte, 2b.	0	0	1	1	0
Unglaub, 1b.	1	1	13	1	0
Wagner, ss.	0	2	4	8	0
Criger, c.	0	1	2	2	0
Pruitt, p.	0	0	1	4	2
*Sullivan	0	0	0	0	0
Cicotte, p.	0	0	0	1	0
†Carrigan	0	0	0	0	0
‡McConnell	0	0	0	0	0
Total	1	7	27	16	2

WASHINGTON.	R	H	PO	A	E
Pick'ing, cf.	1	2	3	0	0
Ganley, lf.	1	0	3	0	0
Del'h'ty, 2b.	0	1	2	0	0
Clymer, rf.	0	1	3	0	0
Fr'man, 1b.	0	2	12	0	0
Street, c.	0	0	2	1	0
McBride, ss.	0	1	1	3	0
Shipke, 3b.	0	0	1	3	0
Falk'rg, p.	0	0	0	5	1
Total	2	7	27	12	1

*Batted for Pruitt in eighth inning.
†Batted for Criger in ninth inning.
‡Batted for Cicotte in ninth inning.

Boston	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	—1
Washington	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	—2

GIANTS HUMBLE PHILLIES.

Three Pitchers All Look Alike to New York National Batters.

Results of Yesterday's Games.

New York, 14; Philadelphia, 2.
Brooklyn, 3; Boston, 2.
Chicago, 1; Cincinnati, 0.
Pittsburg, 3; St. Louis, 0.

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Pittsburg	3	0	1.000	Philadelphia	1	2	.333
New York	2	1	.667	Cincinnati	0	3	.000
Brooklyn	2	1	.667	St. Louis	0	3	.000

PHILADELPHIA, Penn., April 17.—New York easily defeated the home team to-day. All of the three pitchers tried by the Phillies were hit hard, while numerous errors and bad judgment were made behind them. Second Baseman Doyle of New York had his leg hurt in practice and was carried off the field. The score:

NEW YORK.	R	H	PO	A	E
Shannon, rf.	1	2	1	0	0
Han'fan, rf.	0	0	0	0	0
Tenney, 1b.	1	1	15	1	0
Donlin, lf.	2	2	0	0	0
Merkle, lf.	0	0	0	0	0
Seymour, cf.	1	2	1	0	0
Evans, cf.	0	1	0	0	0
Bresn'n, c.	1	0	3	1	0
N'dham, c.	1	0	3	0	0
Devlin, 3b.	3	3	0	3	0
Strang, 2b.	1	0	0	4	1
B'dwell, ss.	1	1	0	1	0
Herzog, ss.	1	1	0	1	0
Wiltse, p.	2	2	2	5	0
Total	14	15	27	16	1

PHILADELPHIA.	R	H	PO	A	E
Thomas, cf.	0	0	4	0	0
Knabe, 2b.	0	2	4	2	1
Osborne, rf.	0	0	0	0	0
Magee, lf.	0	0	3	0	0
C'tney, 1b.	0	1	7	2	0
Grant, 3b.	0	0	1	1	0
Doolin, ss.	0	2	2	3	2
Dooin, c.	1	2	5	3	0
Moren, p.	0	0	0	0	0
Cov'kie, p.	0	0	0	2	0
Brown, p.	0	0	1	1	0
Total	2	7	27	15	3

New York	0	0	3	1	5	0	2	1	2	—14
Philadelphia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	—2

Hits—Off Moren, 8 in four and one-third innings; off Covaleskie, 3 in two and two-third innings; off Brown, 4 in two innings. Two-base hits—Donlin, Devlin, Knabe, (2,) Doolin, Dooin. Three-base hit—Devlin. Sacrifice hits—Needham, Strang, Wiltse. Stolen bases—Shannon, Devlin, (2,) Strang, Bridwell, Herzog, Wiltse, Magee, Dooin. Double play—Doolin, Knabe, and Courtney. Left on bases—New York, 8; Philadelphia, 7. First base on balls—Off Moren, 2; off Covaleskie, 1; off Wiltse, 1. First base on errors—New York, 2; Philadelphia, 1. Hit by pitcher—by Moren, 1; by Covaleskie, 2; by Brown, 1. Struck out—By Wiltse, 4; by Covaleskie, 1; by Brown, 2. Passed ball—Dooin. Wild pitch—Wiltse. Time of game—One hour and fifty minutes. Umpire—Mr. Klem.

Wilhelm Baffles Boston.

Brooklyn won from Boston yesterday by a score of 3 to 2. Wilhelm pitched a fine game, not one of the Boston players reaching second base in the first six innings. Flaherty was hit freely in the opening inning, when the locals made three runs on a base on balls, two singles, and a double. The score:

BOSTON.	R	H	PO	A	E
Bates, lf.	0	1	1	0	0
Browne, rf.	0	0	2	0	0
B'mont, cf.	1	0	1	0	0
M'Gann, 1b.	1	0	8	8	0
Ritchey, 2b.	0	0	3	3	0
Dahlen, ss.	0	1	0	4	2
Sw'ney, 3b.	0	0	0	3	0
Bower'n, c.	0	0	7	1	0
Flaherty, p.	0	0	3	1	0
Total	2	3	24	16	2

BROOKLYN.	R	H	PO	A	E
Pattee, 2b.	0	0	0	5	0
Maloney, cf.	1	1	1	0	1
Burch, rf.	1	2	2	1	0
Jordan, 1b.	1	1	13	1	0
Alp'man, 3b.	0	1	0	3	0
Hum'ell, lf.	0	1	2	0	0
Lewis, ss.	0	1	4	4	1
Bergen, c.	0	0	2	0	0
Wilhelm, p.	0	0	1	3	0
Total	3	7	27	17	2

Boston	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	—2
Brooklyn	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.	—3

Two-base hits—Dahlen, Burch, Jordan. Sacrifice hit—Beaumont. Double plays—Burch and Lewis; Sweeney, Ritchey, and McGann; Dahlen, Ritchey, and McGann. Left on bases—Boston, 3; Brooklyn, 4. First base on balls—Off Wilhelm, 1; off Flaherty, 2. First base on errors—Boston, 2; Brooklyn, 2. Struck out—By Wilhelm, 2; by Flaherty, 5. Time of game—One hour and twenty-one minutes. Umpires—Messrs. Emslie and Rudderham.

Pirates Beat Cardinals Again.

ST. LOUIS, April 17.—Pittsburg won the third straight game from St. Louis to-day by a score of 3 to 0. Good hitting and a fumble by O'Rourke won the victory. Score:

ST. LOUIS.	R	H	PO	A	E
Charles, 3b.	0	1	2	4	0
Barry, rf.	0	0	1	0	0
Del'h'ty, lf.	0	0	3	0	0
Murray, cf.	0	0	2	0	0
Koney, 1b.	0	1	12	0	0
O'R'rke, ss.	0	0	1	5	1
Gilbert, 2b.	0	0	1	2	0
Host'ter, c.	0	1	5	8	0
Beebe, p.	0	0	0	5	0
Total	0	3	27	19	1

PITTSBURG.	R	H	PO	A	E
Moel'r, rf.	0	2	2	0	0
Leach, 3b.	0	1	3	2	0
Clarke, lf.	0	1	3	0	0
Wilson, cf.	0	0	4	0	0
Abbat'o, 2b.	1	0	1	3	1
Swacina, 1b.	0	2	11	0	0
Starr, ss.	0	1	1	2	0
O'Con'r, c.	1	0	2	0	0
Leever, p.	1	1	0	0	0
Total	3	7	27	8	1

St. Louis	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—0
Pittsburg	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	—3

Two-base hits—Hostetter, Moeller. Sacrifice hit—Wilson. Stolen base—Starr. Double play—Hostetter and O'Rourke. Left on bases—St. Louis, 4; Pittsburg, 6. Bases on balls—Off Beebe, 2. Struck out—By Beebe, 3; by Leever, 2. Time of game—One hour and thirty-four minutes. Umpire—Mr. Rigler.

Police Get Indiscreet Ball Player.

CINCINNATI, April 17.—Chicago made it three straight by taking to-day's game from Cincinnati, 1 to 0. After the game Left Filder Lobert was taken off the field by the police on the complaint of a spectator, who said the player had spat in his face and hit him twice. Lobert had been criticised by a number of patrons for misjudging a fly and missing another. Manager Ganzel was sent off the field for disputing a decision. The score:

CINCINNATI.	R	H	PO	A	E
Huggins, 2b.	0	1	3	2	0
Lobert, lf.	0	0	1	0	1
Mitchell, rf.	0	0	4	0	0
Ganzel, 1b.	0	0	8	1	0
McLean, 1b.	0	1	1	0	1
Schlei, c.	0	0	4	2	1
Mowrey, 3b.	0	0	0	1	0
Paskert, cf.	0	1	4	1	0
Hulswitt, ss.	0	2	2	4	1
Coakley, p.	0	0	0	1	0
*McGilvey	0	0	0	0	0
Total	0	5	27	12	4

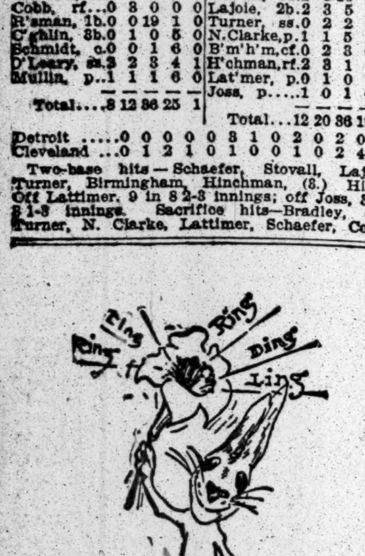
CHICAGO.	R	H	PO	A	E
Slagle, cf.	0	0	2	0	0
Sheck'd, lf.	0	2	1	0	0
Schulte, rf.	0	2	1	0	0
Chance, 1b.	1	2	12	1	0
Steinf'dt, 3b.	0	1	3	3	0
Evers, 2b.	0	0	2	1	0
Tinker, ss.	0	0	1	5	0
Kling, c.	0	1	4	3	0
Reulbach, p.	0	0	0	3	0
Frazer, p.	0	0	1	2	0
Total	1	8	27	15	0

*Batted for Coakley in the ninth inning.

Cincinnati	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—0
Chicago	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	—1

Two-base hit—McLean. Three-base hits—Schulte, Chance. Sacrifice hits—Slagle, Steinfeldt. Stolen base—Huggins. Hits—Off Frazer, 5 in nine innings. Double play—Steinfeldt, Kling, and Chance. Bases on balls—Off Coakley, 2; off Reulbach, 2; off Frazer, 5. Struck out—By Coakley, 2; by Frazer, 2. Hit by pitched ball—By Coakley, 1. Time of game—One hour and thirty-eight minutes. Umpire—Mr. O'Day.

Baseball To-day, 3:30 P. M.—American League Park, N. Y. Americans vs. Washington.—Adv.



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WAGNER FALLS IN LINE.

Famous Shortstop Could Not Hold Out Longer with the Battle On.

PITTSBURG, Penn., April 17.—"Honus" Wagner, idol of Pittsburg baseball fans, to-day signed a contract to play with the Pirates, and if everything goes along as planned he will be the Pirate shortstop in to-morrow's game at Cincinnati. Wagner came into the city from his home at Carnegie, and called at the office of President Barney Dreyfus.

President Harry C. Pulliam of the National League reached Pittsburg this morning and this afternoon went into conference with Wagner and Dreyfuss, but it was late this evening before the contract was signed.

Wagner and Dreyfus left for Cincinnati on a night train, and the former will report to Manager Clark in the morning, ready for the afternoon game. He is in splendid condition.

Catcher Smith, it is said, has also come to terms with the Pirates, and will join them at once.

College Baseball.

Wesleyan, 22; Stevens, 3.

Stevens Institute was defeated by Wesleyan, 22 to 3, at Hoboken yesterday. Utz was hit freely, and the Stevens outfield played a ragged game. Merriman pitched a steady game and received good support. Score by innings:

										R.	H.	E.
Stevens	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	—3	4	7
Wesleyan	4	5	5	0	1	2	2	3	0	—22	20	3

Batteries—Utz, Steinmetz, and Fonda; Merriman and Day.

At Richmond, Va.

								R.	H.	E.
Princeton	2	1	2	4	0	6	.	—15	12	3
N. Caro. A. and M.	1	1	0	0	0	1	1	—4	7	7

Batteries—Wilson and Dawson; Sexton and Thompson. Umpire—Mr. Mace.

At Lexington, Va.—St. John's, (Annapolis,) 5; Washington and Lee, 1.

At Blacksburg, Va.—Virginia Poly., 6; Lehigh, 5.

At Atlantic City—Carlisle Indians, 6; Pennsylvania, 2.

MINOR LEAGUE GAMES.

American Association.

At Toledo—Minneapolis, 4; Toledo, 1.
At Louisville—Louisville, 6; Milwaukee, 1.
At Indianapolis—Indianapolis, 2; Kansas City, 2.
At Columbus—Columbus, 3; St. Paul, 2; (15 innings.)

Southern League.

At Atlanta—Nashville, 3; Atlanta, 0.
At Montgomery—Montgomery, 2; Birmingham, 1.
At Memphis—Memphis, 3; Little Rock, 0.

Scores of Other Games.

At New Haven—Montreal, 4; New Haven, 3. New Haven, 15; Montreal, 4.
At New Britain—New Britain, 5; Philadelphia Giants, 2. Philadelphia Giants, 14; New Britain, 3.
At Hartford—Hartford, 6; Providence, 3. Providence, 3; Hartford, 2.
At Harrisburg—Harrisburg, 4; Toronto, 1.
At Johnstown, Penn.—Johnstown, 4; Binghamton, 1.
At Lancaster—Buffalo, 6; Lancaster, 5.
At Altoona—Altoona, 3; Scranton, 2.
At Waterbury—Waterbury, 7; Springfield, 6.
At Bridgeport—Newark, 6; Bridgeport, 1.
At Baltimore—Walbrook A. C., 2; Columbia, 1.

Brooklyn Players Released.

The Brooklyn Club has announced the releases of Players Thomas McMillan, to Jacksonville, and George Hunter, to Nashville.

Will Try to Break Weston's Record.

Special to The New York Times.

PITTSFIELD, Mass., April 17.—Arsene Beaudin of Adams, who is to make an attempt to break the record walk of Edward Payson Weston from Portland, Me., to Chicago, will start from Portland City Hall Sunday on his long contest. He will make the start at midnight and will follow the route of the veteran pedestrian. Beaudin is a Canadian and has lived in Adams since he was a child. He is 22 years old. He weighs but 115 pounds and is 5 feet 2 inches in height. He is a vegetarian and has never used tobacco or liquors. For several weeks he has been walking thirty miles a day to get into shape for the task.

Company D Takes Zabriskie Trophy.

Competition for the Zabriskie trophy by the members of the Seventy-first Regiment was completed last night at the armory ranges. The trophy was won by Company D with a score of 1,314 points out of a possible 1,500. The other scores were: Company B, 1,301; Company D, 1,266; Company I, 1,238; Company A, 1,235; Company C, 1,220; Company G, 1,186; Company H, 1,184; Company F, 1,140.

Metropolitan Handicap Weights.

The weights for the Metropolitan Handicap, the feature event of the opening day of the Belmont Park Spring meeting, were announced yesterday. In the arrangement of the weights, W. S. Vosburgh, handicapper for The Jockey Club, has put J. R. Keene's four-year-old Ballot at the top, with exactly scale weight, 126 pounds. The race, to be run on May 13, has $10,000 added money, and will be worth approximately $14,000. The handicap in full follows:

The Metropolitan Handicap, for three-year-olds and upward, with $10,000 added. One mile.

	Pounds.		Pounds.
Ballot, 4	126	Old Honesty, 4	105
Nealon, 5	124	Minnie Alama, 5	105
Charles Edward, 4	123	Oxford, 6	104
Montgomery, 4	122	Chapultepec, 3	103
Roseben, aged	121	Law. P. Daley, 3	102
Salvidere, 4	120	Don Enrique, 4	102
Dr. Gardner, 5	120	Spooner, 3	99
Jack Atkin, 4	120	Ben Ban, 5	99
Superman, 4	119	Cohort, 3	98
Dandelion, 6	118	Faust, 4	98
Running Water, 5	116	Kentucky Beau, 4	98
Brookdale Nymph, 5	115	Notasulga, 3	98
W. H. Carey, 5	115	King James, 3	98
Baby Wolf, 4	114	Light Wool, 4	97
McCarter, 4	113	Fairplay, 3	97
DeMund, 4	111	King Cobalt, 3	97
Blue Book, 4	111	Johnnie Blake, 3	97
The Quail, 5	110	Senator Clay, 4	97
Celt, 3	109	Magazine, 3	96
Uncle, 3	108	Stargowan, 3	95
Rifleman, 4	107	Live Wire, 3	95
Meelick, 3	107	Don Creole, 4	94
Tony Faust, 4	106	Restigouche, 3	93
Far West, 6	106	Fancy, 3	90
Wexford, 6	106	The Shaughraun, 3	88
Ellicott, 4	106	Gowan, 3	87
Westbury, 4	105		

Penalties accrue from 12 M. of Saturday, April 18, 1908.

NOTES OF THE TURF.

Thomas Hitchcock, Jr., visiting the Aqueduct race course yesterday immediately following his return from a Winter of hunting and steeplechasing in England, made comparison of steeplechase courses and horses in America and England which cross-country men found flattering to American racing. Of the Liverpool Grand National course, which long has been considered the most severe trial of steeplechasers, Mr. Hitchcock said that to his personal knowledge no jump on the Liverpool course equaled in height two jumps on the Saratoga race course. The highest jump in the Grand National course, he said, was five feet, while in the regular Saratoga course are two jumps of five feet two inches. After inspecting the Liverpool course he expressed the conviction that any well-schooled American 'chaser would be able to negotiate it, though he would not say that any but the best would have a chance to win a Grand National.

The stable of steeplechase horses owned by J. E. Widener, ten in number, arrived yesterday at the Belmont Park course, under the charge of Howard Lewis, trainer. Because of the death of his horse El Cuchillo, which recently was sent to France for a season of racing there, Mr. Widener's racing plans for the year have been altered and his racing will be confined to the American courses.

A special meeting of the Stewards of the National Steeplechase and Hunt Association yesterday morning removed the suspension on Steeplechase Jockey Harry Stone and granted him a license. Stone had his first mount since last Fall at the Aqueduct track in the afternoon and received a fall which shook him up so badly that he was brought in from the field in the track ambulance. He quickly recovered and was able to go home.

BESOM ROMPS IN FOR MAIDENS' RACE

Keene's Gelding Easily Beats Biggest Field of the Day at Aqueduct.

ALAUDA WINS UNION STAKES

Grapple and Tim O'Toole, Trained Together, Are Winners for the Frank Farrell Stable—To-day's Entries.

The most welcome and the tamest result at the Aqueduct course yesterday was when Besom, at odds on, romped in first for a maiden race. The contest was remarkable only for the style in which Besom won, though the field that ran, the largest of the day, included a number of horses that though still maidens, are rated as promising material from which good race horses are expected to develop. Half a dozen of the number figured in the big stakes of last season, and of these Besom, again carrying the James R. Keene jacket, aroused the greatest interest, as the racing men were curious to know whether the much-talked-of horse would "make good." Besom was the substitute for the unbeaten Colin in one valuable stake last season, and though he disappointed in his only two races then he had the private reputation of being one of the fastest two-year-olds in the Keene stable. His old reputation was enough to make him favorite among the eleven three-year-olds that ran, though the field practically was made up of supposed "good things," but after Besom had smothered his opponents the crowd still remained in doubt whether he was as good a horse as his victory, in fast time, seemed to make him or whether he had beaten a very common lot. On the result of the race, however, the Keene stable generally was credited with the possession of another horse that should be a factor in the important stakes.

In the nominal feature of the card, the Union Stakes, seven furlongs, for three-year-olds, Alauda, from the R. T. Wilson, Jr., stable, raced closed up with Cymbal throughout and won cleverly, while Wave Crest, the only other runner and the odds-on favorite, from the stable of Frank Farrell, was beaten all the way. Two other horses from the Farrell stable started in other races, and made amendment for Wave Crest's failure, as Grapple, running in the Farrell colors, and Tim O'Toole, in the name of D. C. Johnson, were returned winners.

In the steeplechase two of the four runners fell, and long after Jim McGill, which made the running, had won the race the two that came to grief were struggling for the third money, as both were remounted and went on through the field. Gus Straus, ridden by a stable helper, as his jockey in the race was too much shaken up to remount, finally landed in third place. The summaries:

FIRST RACE.—For two-year-olds, selling allowances; four and one-half furlongs.
1—Madrileno, 101, (Musgrave,) 9-5, 8-5.
2—Guy Fisher, 96, (Fairbrother,) 20-1, 7-1.
3—Sight, 104, (McDaniel,) 7-2, 8-5.
4—Chipmunk, 104, (G. Burns,) 10-1, 3-1.
5—Desolate, 104, (T. Burns,) 9-2, 8-5.
6—Primrose League, 104, (Notter,) 5-1, 2-1.
7—Belle of the Tribe, 93, (Bergen,) 60-1, 20-1.
8—Reprisal, 96, (J. Hogan,) 50-1, 15-1.
Time—0:56. Won easily by three lengths; four lengths between second and third. Winner ch. g., by Ethelbert-Old Madrid. Owned and trained by P. T. Chinn.

SECOND RACE.—Steeplechase, for four-year-olds and upward, selling allowances; two miles.
1—Jim McGill, 130, (M. Henderson,) 6-5, 1-3.
2—Dr. Hellsworth, 138, (Owens,) 12-1, 8-5.
*3—Gus Straus, 142, (Stone,) 9-10, 1-3.
*4—Esquire, 139, (Stiger,) 30-1, 5-1.
*Fell, but were remounted and finished.
Time—4:39. Won in a canter, by a furlong. Winner b. g., 4 years, by Handsome-Marianne. Owned by the Hampton Stable and trained by Silas Veitch.

THIRD RACE.—Handicap, for three-year-olds and upward; six furlongs.
1—Grapple, 126, (Shaw,) 3-1, 7-10.
2—Cressina, 118, (E. Dugan,) 1-1, 1-4.
3—Big Chief, 108, (G. Burns,) 13-5, 3-5.
4—Grace Cameron, 97, (W. Burns,) 60-1, 10-1.
Time—1:15. Won ridden out by a neck; four lengths between second and third. Winner b. g., 5 years, by Woolsthorpe-Embrace. Owned by Frank J. Farrell and trained by F. D. Weir.

FOURTH RACE.—The Union Stakes, for three-year-olds; selling allowances; seven furlongs.
1—Alauda, 101, (E. Dugan,) 2-1, 1-5.
2—Cymbal, 104, (Musgrave,) 6-1, 6-5.
3—Wave Crest, 98, (McCarthy,) 7-10, out.
Time—1:29 1-5. Won easily by a length and a half; a length between second and third. Winner b. g., by Ornament-L'Alouette. Owned by R. T. Wilson, Jr., and trained by T. J. Healey.

FIFTH RACE.—For three-year-olds and upward; selling allowances; seven furlongs.
1—Tim O'Toole, 110, (McCarthy,) 10-1, 4-1.
2—Troublemaker, 113, (McDaniel,) 4-1, 8-5.
3—Frank Lord, 105, (Flynn,) 3-1, 6-5.
4—Poquessing, 112, (Brussel,) 8-1, 6-5.
5—Teacress, 110, (Notter,) 6-1, 2-1.
6—Chalfonte, 115, (Musgrave,) 4-1, 8-5.
Time—1:28 3-5. Won, ridden out, by a head; a neck between second and third. Winner ch. g., 4 years, by Ben Strome-Henrietta. Owned by D. C. Johnson and trained by F. D. Weir.

SIXTH RACE.—For maidens three years old; special weights; five furlongs.
1—Besom, 105, (Notter,) 9-10, 1-3.
2—Miss Popular, 103, (McCahey,) 40-1, 12-1.
3—Question Mark, 108, (McDaniel,) 7-2, 6-5.
4—Hartford Boy, 108, (W. Burns,) 30-1, 10-1.
5—Raquel, 103, (Garner,) 10-1, 4-1.
6—Robert Cooper, 108, (Fairbrother,) 8-1, 3-1.
7—Sparker, 105, (E. Dugan,) 15-1, 6-1.
8—Lady Corinne, 103, (G. Burns,) 10-1, 4-1.
9—Dottie S., 103, (McCarthy,) 50-1, 20-1.
10—Carleton, 108, (Crowley,) 100-1, 40-1.
11—G. Ferraro, 105, (Musgrave,) 200-1, 80-1.
Time—1:01 2-5. Won in a gallop by five lengths; a half length between second and third. Winner b. g., by Ben Brush-Noonday. Owned by James R. Keene and trained by James Rowe.

Entries for Aqueduct Races.

FIRST RACE.—For fillies two years old, special weights, allowances; half a mile.

	Pounds.		Pounds.
Ocean Maid	109	Thistle Belle	106
Black Mamie	106	Melissa	106
My Marlutch	106	Indomitable	106
Mystify	106	Catherine Simpson	106

SECOND RACE.—The Winfield Steeplechase Handicap, for four-year-olds and upward; about two miles.

Thistledale	155	Palm	133
Kara	150	Motor	132

THIRD RACE.—For three-year-olds and upward, selling allowances; one mile.

Saracinesca	115	Al H. Woods	103
Voorhees	110	Ingham	103
Import	108	Molesey	103
Juggler	107	*Royal Lady	102
Sir Toddington	106	Littleton Maid	101
*Robador	105	Smoker	95
*Master of Craft	105	*Compare	92

FOURTH RACE.—The Freeport Handicap, for three-year-olds and upward; seven furlongs.

Jack Atkin	127	Fordello	96
Rifleman	108	Zienap	93
Blandy	107	Killiecrankie	90
Welbourne	106	Campaigner	86
Rialto	101		

FIFTH RACE.—For maidens, two years old, selling allowances; four and a half furlongs.

Chaperone	105	Christmas	99
St. Withold	105	Ramble	99
Plessing	105	Never Late	97
Havre	102	Gold Find	97
Long John	102	*Gavin	97
Dander	102	*Elmer Boy	97
J. W. Kent	102	*Hobo	9[illegible]
Bonnie Kelso	101	*Harry Rogers	96
Lilypad	99	*Fair Lassie	94

SIXTH RACE.—Handicap, for three-year-olds and upward; six and a half furlongs.

Voorhees	112	Halket	105
Sir Lynnewood	112	Colonel Jack	100
Blandy	111	Castlewood	98
Pretension	110	Also eligible—	
Oxford	107	Glorifier	126

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MOORE HAS NASTY FALL.

Drops from Lofty Perch and Is Sore in Consequence.

Tom Moore fell from his high estate yesterday—the grandstand at Briarcliff Manor—and is nursing sore ribs as a result. Moore believes in occupying an exalted place and ascended the grandstand yesterday afternoon as the one point near Briarcliff which gave him the broadest outlook. But high estates require close attention. Inadvertently Tom evidently overstepped the mark. His foot slipped and he went over the side of the structure and landed on the turf beneath. He has less interest in the Briarcliff race for a time, as a result.

A number of racing cars went over the circuit yesterday morning without accident and had another good day. The road was in good shape, though a trifle slippery on the east side. Bergdoll and Parker in the Benz car made their first run around the circuit, while the Isotta cars went around as well. All the cars have now located on the course, the quarters being as follows:

The Isotta, Poole, and Harding at Church's stables, Briarcliff; the Renault, Bernin and Broch, driver for Guggenheim, at Leon Rubay's house at White Plains; the Thomas flyer at James Butler's house, at East View; Strang in the Isotta car of Tyson, at the Carpenter House at White Plains; George Robertson in the Panhard, at Ackerman's Hotel, Valhalla; thte Stearns trio, Vaugn, Leland, and Oldfield, at Miss Hoyt's School, one mile southeast of the grand stand; the Fiat duo, Cedrino and Parker, at Guydohel's, Parkville Road and Briarcliff Road; the Allen Kingston, Campbell, at the Carpenter House, in White Plains; the Lozier at the Tea House, in Briarcliff; the Maja, Murphy, at the Carpenter House, in White Plains; the Apperson at the railroad crossing, one and one-quarter miles before the grand stand is reached; the Simplex duo, Seymour and Watson, at Buckout's Crossing, and the Bianchi at East View.

YALE STANDS BY SPORTS.

Students Do Not Share Belief of Harvard President in Their Curtailment.

Special to The New York Times.

NEW HAVEN, April 17.—Although members of the Yale Faculty said to-day, after reading the annual report of President Eliot of Harvard, demanding that athletics should be curtailed, that they did not favor such action at Yale, it is certain that steps will be immediately taken at Yale to remove a number of present features of college sports which have fallen into disfavor. One is in holding athletic teams here for the drudgery of Easter vacations. The track, baseball, and rowing teams are all here, and all but the crew are working twice a day. It is generally believed that this will be the last year in which this will be done, because it tends to make the athletes stale.

The Faculty will not allow so many athletic sports to be scheduled for New York City another year. President Hadley and prominent members of the Faculty issued statements two weeks ago to the effect that Yale did not favor reducing athletic sports because they tended to keep students in New Haven on Saturdays instead of going to New York City. The Faculty later awoke to the fact that the Yale nine is scheduled to play every Saturday this month in New York, and the students who want to see the team play must go to New York for that purpose.

In general President Eliot's recommendations for Harvard will not be followed at Yale, and it is known that Yale has been sounded by Harvard on the plan of reducing sports in every branch to two competitions a season, and that Yale has responded that such purpose was not the sentiment here.

BLOW TO CORNELL FRESHMEN.

Council Forbids Their Teams Competing Out of Town in College Terms.

ITHACA, N. Y., April 17.—The Cornell Athletic Council at a meeting this evening passed a rule forbidding any out-of-town trips to freshman teams during the present college terms. This will be a heavy blow to the freshman track and baseball teams. The freshman crew will not be affected, as the Poughkeepsie regatta comes after the end of the college year.

The Council also elected P. E. Larkin, formerly a Cornell star guard, and now a senior in Georgetown, and Neddy Earle, last season's star half back, as field coaches for the next football season. Earle will be graduated from the Agricultural College this June. The track schedule was announced and is as follows:

April 25, Pennsylvania athletic carnival at Philadelphia; May 2, interclass handicap meet at Percy Field, Ithaca; May 9, interscholastic track meet, Ithaca; May 9, dual meet with Pennsylvania at Philadelphia; May 16, dual meet with Princeton at Philadelphia; May 23, Cornell-Pennsylvania freshman meet at Ithaca; intercollegiates, May 29, 30, at Philadelphia.

Resident Coach for Vermont.

BURLINGTON, Vt., April 17.—At a meeting of the student body of the University of Vermont, held to-day, it was voted to accept the recommendation of the Faculty Advisory Board that a resident athletic coach for the university be secured. The resident coach will have general supervision over the coaches in the various branches of athletics.

Harvard Crew at Annapolis.

ANNAPOLIS, Md., April 17.—The eight-oared crew from Harvard, accompanied by Coach Ross, substitutes, and rubbers, arrived here this afternoon. They will for the first time in the history of the two institutions row the midshipmen this season. The race will be over the inner course of the Severn River next Thursday afternoon, and the Harvard crew will be the guests of the midshipment until then.

National A. C. Boxing Carnival.

A fine contest is promised for Tuesday evening when the National Athletic Club of America gives its second boxing entertainment. The feature event will be a six-round bout between Tommy Quill of Brockton, Mass., and Willie Fitzgerald, known as the "fighting harp." Quill is a strong candidate for the lightweight championship honors and has defeated all the best men in that class in the East. He has never appeared in New York and promises to astonish the club members and metropolitan sportdom generally with speed and cleverness.

Fitzgerald is one of the McGovern type of rushing, tearing fighters, and has met the best men in America from time to time.

Rolling Skating Record Broken.

CHICAGO, April 17.—All previous records for the mile on roller skates were broken last night when William Robinson, American amateur champion, did the distance in 2:24, which is three seconds faster than Ollie Moore's professional record of 2:27. The race in which Robinson set the new mark was in the final heat of a handicap affair, in which he started from scratch. Robinson passed the entire field before five of the eight laps had been rolled off.

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TENNIS DOWN TO FINAL.

Miss Adee and Mrs. Barger-Wallach Will Meet Misses Wildey To-day.

Miss Juliet Adee and Mrs. Barger-Wallach won their places on the St. Nicholas Rink court in the final round of the women's lawn tennis doubles tournament yesterday, in which they will meet Miss Edna Wildey and Miss Nathalie Wildey to-day. The known strength of the latter resulted in their taking their place by the default of Mrs. George L. Chapman and Mrs. A. G. Miles. The tennis on the part of the women that brought the event up to the finals was excellent, however. With the weakness of her underhand service even Mrs. Wallach succeeded in carrying things along to a straight set conclusion, assisted by Miss Adee as her partner. This pair, the standbys of the Country Club of Westchester, faced Mrs. Walter C. Aufermann and Miss Elsie Smith in the semi-final, winning by the score 6—4 and 6—3.

The women's final will hold the court first this afternoon, to be followed by a continuation of the men's doubles, in which Holcombe Ward and Beals C. Wright will meet Raymond D. Little and T. R. Pell. The summary:

Women's Doubles.—First Round—Mrs. Walter C. Aufermann and Miss Elsie Smith defeated Mrs. T. A. McCarthy and Mrs. Charles Tiffany, 6—3, 6—2. Mrs. Barger-Wallach and Miss Juliet Adee, a bye.

Semi-Final Round.—Mrs. Barger-Wallach and Miss Juliet Adee defeated Mrs. Walter C. Aufermann and Miss Elsie Smith, 6—4, 6—3. Umpire—Frederick W. Mansfield.

Court Tennis Matches at Tuxedo.

Special to The New York Times.

TUXEDO PARK, N. Y., April 17.—The competition for the gold racquet in court tennis at the Tuxedo Tennis and Racquet Club will begin here to-morrow. The opening match will be between Kingdon Gould of Georgian Court, Lakewood, and Pierre Lorillard, Jr., of Tuxedo, and the winner will meet Jay Gould, the present holder, on Sunday.

Another Yale Athlete Injured.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., April 17.—Gerald M. Butler, 1909, of Evanston, Ill., regarded as one of Yale's best sprinters, has pulled a tendon and as a result will be unable to take part in the Spring meet at Yale or the meetings at Princeton and Harvard. Capt. Burch of the football team, also a sprinter, is laid up as a result of a similar injury.

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Chess Tourney Closes with Triple Tie.

VIENNA, April 17.—A triple tie for first place between O. Duras of Prague, C. Schlechter of this city, and G. Maroczy resulted from the play in the final round of the international chessmasters' tournament to-day. Under the rules of the contest the tie between more than two players is not to be played out, and in consequence the three leaders divide the sum of the first three prizes, amounting to 10,500 crowns, equally between them. The final records:

	Won.	Lost.		Won.	Lost.
Duras	14	5	Marshall	10	9
Maroczy	14	5	Swiderski	9½	9½
Schlechter	14	5	Salwe	8½	10½
Rubinstein	13	6	Johner	7½	11½
Teichmann	12	7	Berger	7	12
Spielmann	11½	7½	Alapin	6½	12½
Mieses	10	9	Bardeleben	6½	12½
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LAWS TO ORDER.

Labor is going to be the judge of what is best for it in labor legislation. The critical time has arrived with the action of the present Congress on our measures. We know what to do if it fails to pass them.—Mr. SAMUEL GOMPERS.

It is charged, and with some reason, that capital for many years acted on that principle. It drew its own laws, or guided the pen that did draw them, notably the tariff laws, and it fattened prodigiously. Then came along the foes, or, if you please, the restrainers, of capital, successfully enforcing their judgment of what the laws ought to be. We are still in the confusion of that conflict.

This is really the doctrine of help yourself. If the laws in the books don't suit you, send in your order. Congress will enact statutes to your measure, and if they don't fit at first alterations will be made. Of course, goose and gander must have the same treatment. If labor wants the boycott then railroads must have the merger. Restraint of trade by one is no less obnoxious than restraint by the other.

If Congress is mean enough not to hand out laws according to the specifications of those who are "the judge of what is best" for them, then they will know what to do. Mr. GOMPERS's remedy is to vote for the other fellow—perhaps for DEBS. His theory of lawmaking and voting would give us a fine, hilarious, and variegated South American type of Government.

JAPAN AND CHINA.

The latest dispatches from the Orient indicate that the anti-Japanese movement in China has gone to greater lengths and taken a wider scope than was expected. In consequence of the representation of the Japanese Government the Chinese authorities have forbidden open encouragement in the native press to the boycott, but the spirit underlying the boycott is stimulated by articles discussing the "national disgrace," a term born of the seizure of the Tatsu Maru and applied to an organization of unknown strength. Meanwhile, without definite agreement, a general movement against Japanese goods, apparently more energetic than the recent like movement against American goods, spreads in the seacoast provinces, and for the time seriously affects shipping and internal trade. With reference to the vast body of the Chinese population these events are of relative unimportance. Any untoward effect from them could be warded off easily enough if the two Governments concerned really desired to do so. As yet the true attitude of the Governments cannot clearly be made out.

That fact of itself is not without significance. If the feeling between the Governments were as cordial as it appeared three years ago, there would hardly have occurred the incident of the Tatsu Maru; Japan would have been more vigilant in preventing the shipment of arms; China would have been less arbitrary in its action on that subject, and manifestations of popular indignation would not have been allowed to take so open or extreme a form. Especially these manifestations would hardly have been permitted after the Chinese Government had reached a settlement with Japan. Nor must it be forgotten that at the present moment every matter publicly known to be pending between Japan and China—the postal arrangements, the rival railroad in Manchuria, the presence and conduct of the Japanese "guards" on the railway lines, the boundary dispute in Korea—seems to array China against the rooted desires and matured plans of Japan. It would be too much to say that the relations of the two Governments are actually strained, but they are by no means heartily harmonious.

It is to be remarked also that a phase of sentiment has sprung up in China which is entirely novel, concerning itself with the relations of Japan to the Western world. An instance of this is a caricature from one of the native Chinese papers at the time that trouble was expected between Japan and the United States, which represented John Bull cutting the treaty with Japan in pieces as Uncle Sam drew his gun on Japan. Even five years ago such an appeal to popular feeling would have been inconceivable. There would not have been in the popular mind any knowledge on which to base it. Of course it is impossible to say what exactly are the purposes of Japan in Manchuria. But if they should include the practical effacement of Chinese sovereignty, it looks now as if they would be resisted with all attainable vigor by China, and—what is the most important element in the situation—that China would endeavor to enlist the influence, if not the aid, of some of the Western Powers in support of that resistance. Direct aid the United States could hardly give, but influence it might lend. And the attitude of Great Britain would be probably in the long run on the side of Chinese integrity. All her interests would be in that direction, political as well as commercial.

In the light of these facts we think it highly unlikely that Japan really entertains, or will permit herself seriously to push, plans involving virtually the sacrifice of Chinese sovereignty. If she has had inclinations in this direction, she will find their indulgence difficult and dangerous to pursue. That result will be fortunate if it turns the energies of Japan where they are now and for a long time will be most needed, toward the economic development of the resources of the Empire.

MR. STANCHFIELD IS WRONG, IF RIGHT.

Mr. STANCHFIELD perhaps expressed a general sentiment when he stated that Directors of corporations have a right to profit in the market by information gained in their Directorial capacity. Nevertheless it is a sentiment which is essentially immoral and which should be checked if it in fact exists. That a Director can be a competitive buyer in the market of a stock which his company also wishes to buy is incompatible with good conscience. It is hardly distinguishable from making personal profit from the sale of such stock to a corporation by a Director. The net result is the same whether the profit be intercepted and diverted from the corporation or whether the profit be taken from the corporation's treasury. Even if in any given case the operation be beneficial to a corporation, the situation is so delicate that it ought to be forbidden lest it deteriorate into something bad beyond doubt.

The fierceness of our morality is such that we think the penitentiary the remedy for everything, and another criminal law is the remedy which some would propose. The better way is to recognize the frailties of human nature, and make it worth while for Directors to be strictly honest, thus removing temptation before punishing vice. This is the foreign custom, where Directors get a share of the profits realized by their industry and capacity, as well as honesty. For example, in a recent year important German banks divided one-seventh of the dividend fund among managers, staff, and Directors. The idea is that paying for performance of duty gives the right to punish for not performing duty. Thus German Directors in return for payment are personally liable for losses due to error in duty.

BUREAU OR JURY?

Mr. CARNEGIE is of the opinion that there should be no division of authority in the regulation of inter-State commerce, and that therefore the Inter-State Commerce Commission should have the oversight of all corporations or trusts, as is proposed in the pending amendments to the anti-trust law. This is logical, but seems to prove almost too much. Is it not possible that the argument against dividing an indivisible job is equally against turning it over to the Inter-State Commerce Commission?

If the Commission were insufficiently occupied something might be given it to employ its idle moments. A few years ago the Commission was asking for more to do, but just at present it seems to be somewhat sobered by the dimensions of the work on hand. Yet, considerable as is the care of all the railways of the United States, the oversight of all other corporations is even larger. If the Commission consisted of seven Roosevelts it would be unequal to the task. Mr. CARNEGIE's comparison to the Supreme Court is misleading, for it is only sifted cases which reach the court of last resort. All minor cases stop in the courts below. But the Commission is to have original and sole jurisdiction over a task of infinite complexity. The Commission would be unable even to sign the necessary documents. The preparatory work would be done necessarily by assistants. Business men then would have their plans decided upon by a department bureau. It would be a grievance whether the clerk had authority to act with discretion, or did not. If he had no discretion the business of the country would be conducted by a system of Russianized bureaus. If he had discretion the temptation to appeal to it in irregular ways is one which ought not to be put in the way of either party.

Mr. CARNEGIE thinks that in 99 cases out of 100 the objects sought by corporations will be "to rob the community of its right to the benefits of free competition," and he is clear that this should not be allowed; "that the combination be reasonable is not sufficient." So the common law once held, only to take a different position as the result of generations of experience. The Sherman law took the barbaric and abandoned common law theory, and it has worked so badly that it is now in process of compulsory amendment. The community has revolted from the fierceness of free competition.

TRUE PHILANTHROPY.

The bequest of nearly $3,000,000 for the establishment of a country sanitarium for poor convalescent patients of St. Luke's Hospital is an act of wise philanthropy. Charity could not be better bestowed, and the will of WILLIAM WHEELER SMITH is a model of its kind, in its main object, in the clarity and sagacity of its provisions. But not less remarkable, as an example of philanthropy, is the willingness of the testator's widow to accept, in lieu of dowry, a house in an expensive neighborhood of Manhattan, with only $700 a month for living expenses.

In spite of the ardor of our correspondents who have been urging young men to marry on $35 a week or less, the cost of living in this borough is very high. Some years ago a widow to whom had been left by a wealthy husband a city house and $15,000 a year for its maintenance, appealed to the courts on the ground that the sum was insufficient to support her in the manner to which she had been accustomed. The justice of her plea was recognized. One can live decently in New York on a very much smaller yearly income than $15,000, or even $8,400, but not in a style requiring more than that to maintain. A fine house on the west side requires servants, the taxes and assessments are considerable, the near-by markets are expensive.

Mrs. SMITH might have had an income of more than $150,000 a year. She has asked for only $8,400. This is the truest kind of practical philanthropy. We might expect such an example of self-sacrificing beneficence to soften the hearts of the malcontents who call themselves Socialists. But they will only say that no man ought to be permitted to accumulate $3,000,000. The people who are struggling to make a $20,000 a year showing on $10,000 incomes will best appreciate the widow's generosity.

COMMON ABNORMALITIES.

The physical conditions, which include the mental conditions, that may render a man legally incapable of making a will, are many and varied, and medical testimony is required by the courts to settle the inevitable bewilderments of each case. Though the alienists have lately made progress in the classification of symptoms, the line dividing responsibility from irresponsibility is still very vague.

In the contest of the will of WALTER F. BAKER, now going on in Boston, some of the expert testimony seems clearly to indicate the irrationality of the testator. But some of it is dubious. BAKER's medical adviser testifies that he was neglectful of his person. We have known eminent jurists and accomplished authors of whom as much might have been said. Another charge is that BAKER liked to sit on the floor, Turkish fashion. This is unconventional and uncomfortable, but does not suggest a man's inability to dispose wisely of his property. He talked rapidly, with frequent repetitions. Are all our friends who monopolize the conversation and tell the same story three times in one evening non compos mentis? Sometimes we like to think so.

Finally BAKER was addicted to bridge and poker. It requires a pretty clear head to play either game well. Such testimony as this, seriously considered in a law court, ought to make many hitherto unsuspected persons feel apprehensive.

SENATOR FORAKER'S SPEECH.

The full report of Senator FORAKER'S speech on the Brownsville affair will, it is said, be very widely circulated. In the interest of truth and fair play, it ought to be. We care little for the political and partisan aims that may be promoted or embarrassed by the influence of this speech. It is quite possible that it may in some degree tend to prevent the nomination or election of the best-equipped candidate the Republican Party has to present to the country, though it ought not to have that effect. But the speech is a cogent statement of the facts in a matter of National importance, in which the powers of the Executive have been strained desperately and outrageously to wrong a number of brave and loyal soldiers of the United States Army. To this wrong, as the proof of it has unfolded, the Executive has shown a mind singularly impermeable to all sense of right. Every suggestion of remedy the President has insisted should be placed within his own discretion, the discretion of the author of the wrong. The ground principles of civil and military law have been grossly violated and the violation stubbornly persisted in. It is the right of the American people to know the truth as to these things. Without that knowledge they cannot do justice, as soon or late we fervently hope that they will.

TOPICS OF THE TIMES.

His Honors Prove Burdensome,

Dr. ROBERT KOCH, it seems to us, is making not much ado about nothing, indeed, but what is even less admirable, much ado about what is partly the inevitable and partly his own fault.

No doubt it was his desire, or no doubt he sincerely thinks it was his desire, to make a quiet journey through this country, in the course of which he could learn a few things he wanted to know in a way merely incidental to having a restful vacation, well earned by his recent hard work in scientific fields. Such being the case, he would naturally be somewhat annoyed and irritated at finding himself everywhere pursued by reporters eager to get interviews worth printing and by committees from medical, German, and other societies, equally eager to persuade him to listen to long addresses of eulogy and to accept invitations to dinners and receptions where he would be expected to make speeches worth hearing. All this imposes mental toil upon the visitor; it also takes up a lot of his time and turns a vacation tour into something like a triumphal progress, than which nothing is more physically exhausting.

But what did, or, rather, what should, the eminent but not too amiable doctor expect? For years and years past he has been doing things to make his name familiar all over the world among those appreciative of real achievement, and the newspapers, despite the frequent charge that they care for nothing except crimes and scandals, have long been the industrious heralds of all he did—and, just to show their good-will, of a few things done by others and ascribed to him because the names of the other fellows had been forgotten. How, then, can he be surprised, and why should he be offended, that his arrival has been treated as something of an event, and that an earnest effort has been made to pay them the honors due?

Surely Dr. KOCH would not have been better pleased if his coming had been ignored, if we had betrayed a dull ignorance of his achievements. Fame is sweet, but it has its penalties—penalties which a famous man, if he be also a wise one and something of a philosopher, will endure as patiently and as graciously as a not too strict regard for his own life, liberty, and pursuit of happiness will permit.

Hopeless War Explained.

Why do street car strikes so nearly always begin with disorder, drift into murderous violence which the local police cannot handle, and at last have to be restrained by State troops with loaded rifles and a readiness to use them?

The motorman and conductor are not obviously fierce and belligerent men, to look at them as they go about their daily work, and, as they have to use in it a good deal of intelligence, they are well above the lowest class of labor and ought to be able to see that the tactics they so commonly employ in the settlement of their industrial disputes inevitably lead, first, to the alienation from them of the public sympathy which they usually have at the beginning of a strike, and, second, to a conflict in which they haven't a chance of success. These things they cannot see, apparently, and experience teaches them nothing.

At Chester, Penn., the hopeless plan of carrying on a street car strike has been followed to the letter, with even worse than the usual results, for there the police seem to have been disloyal to duty, as well as incompetent to perform it, and maltreatment by them of the first troops sent to the scene has caused the adequate force now in Chester to undertake the restoration of peace in a mood that does not make so much for resort to tact, diplomacy, and gentle means in general as for the prompt use of the severest methods.

Yet street car strikers must be about like other strikers, no better, but no worse. They feel a little more, perhaps, than ordinary labor, that they have a vested interest in their jobs, and they have a somewhat unusual degree of solidarity for workers who are not, strictly speaking, skilled. These things, however, do not fully account for their haste into battle. That comes chiefly, perhaps, because the conditions are so favorable for a guerrilla warfare and because so much can immediately be accomplished by the destruction of a little property.

The field of effective contest in a street car strike is much broader than in the case of a factory or ironworks. The tracks stretch along for miles, and cannot be fortified by fences or protected by any small number of guards. The strikers can therefore select any one of a hundred places for attack, all equally good, and they are subjected to a special temptation. Almost always, too, the tracks somewhere in their course run through districts where sympathizers with violence on general principles abound, and that both protects rioters and invites riots. Here, surely, are reasons enough why street car strikes are particularly dangerous among "labor troubles," and why they almost always end in complete failure.

An Adventure in Psychology.

A child of six and a little over, who lives in one of the northern suburbs, was observed to be, one day this week, in solemn cogitation. At last her face lighted up with an obvious conclusion and she made the enigmatic remark, addressed to the world at large: "Why, nobody knows anything about me except what I say!"

Eager inquiries as to her exact meaning were at once propounded, but no explanations were forthcoming, and the confused replies that were made indicated only a vague glimpsing of the ego's isolation—and that even the vague glimpse had soon been lost. It was, nevertheless, a most curious little triumph in untrained psychologizing, for what the child did say when questioned proved, or at least indicated, that she had not been pondering any particular fact or secret, but things in general and their relation to herself as an independent entity.

WATSON FAVORS FREE PAPER.

Thinks House Will Pass Bill if Democratic Senators Agree.

WASHINGTON, April 17.—That Herman Ridder of New York, President of the American Newspaper Publishers' Association, has not abandoned his fight to have wood pulp and print paper placed on the free list is indicated by the fact that he conferred yesterday with Representative James E. Watson, the Republican "whip" of the House, on the subject.

Mr. Watson told Mr. Ridder that personally he favored the proposal, and suggested that Mr. Ridder make an effort to induce the Democratic Senators to agree that if a wood pulp and print paper bill reached the Senate it should be permitted to pass without amendment.

"If you can get such an agreement from the Democratic Senators I think there will be little difficulty in putting a bill through the House admitting wood pulp and print paper to the free list," said Mr. Watson.

FOR WASHINGTON STATUE.

Presidents Will Take Oath Under Its Shadow on Capitol Steps.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, April 17.—Representative Samuel W. McCall, Chairman of the Committee on the Library, to-day reported favorably his bill appropriating $35,000 for the casting of a replica of the John Quincy Adams Ward statue of George Washington that now stands in front of the Sub-Treasury in New York.

The bill provides that the replica shall be placed on a pediment on the steps to the main eastern entrance of the Capitol. After that is done, each new President inaugurated will take the oath of office under the shadow of the Washington Statue.

THE CAUTIOUS ROBIN.

Th' incautious Lark at dawn is heard,
In carols loud and pert,
By Spring's deceptions undeterred,
But Mr. Robin, careful bird,
Still wears his flannel shirt!

CARLYLE SMITH.

NEW THEATRE'S DESIGNER SPEAKS

Mr. Hastings, by Request, Makes Clear the Purpose of Its Founders.

PLACE FOR PRESENT DRAMA

House Should Inspire Modern Playwrights to Accomplishments Worthy of the Artistic Past.

To the Editor of The New York Times:

In modern times, with the facilities of the press, facile and destructive criticism and public controversy, especially among the Anglo-Saxon races, have done so much harm to art in all its phases that I have made it a principle of my life not to add my name to the large number already so occupied, and my only excuse in this instance is that I have been requested to make an exception in order to correct the misunderstandings that exist, and the misstatements that have been made regarding the New Theatre.

If your several correspondents had criticised the merits of my design of the New Theatre I would certainly refrain from making an exception in this instance. They do not make it a question of aesthetics from the architects' point of view, but entirely a question of the size of the building in its adaptation to the so-called modern conditions in acting, and in the interest of the modern play writers. It is therefore a question of feet and inches, or of the seating capacity of the house, which has excited this controversy, and it is amazing to me that your correspondents should have shown such a lack of intelligence as to be willing to enter into such a controversy with so little knowledge of the actual facts in the case, while information near at hand might have been easily obtained.

Before giving these facts I might say that it also seems as though your correspondents had entirely misunderstood the unselfish purposes of the founders of the New Theatre and the fundamental principle upon which this institution had been founded. They do not seem to have understood the problem which from the beginning has been in the minds of the founders.

From the broad and comprehensive point of view the drama in modern times—more especially in this country—is practically the only art where people with the love for the beautiful are unable to go back to the greatest masterpieces of the past to find inspiration and education, as well as recreation and elevating amusement. Paris has its Louvre, as well as its Luxembourg, for the lovers of painting and sculpture. The Parthenon, Notre Dame, and the Farnese Palace in Rome and the many splendid examples of ancient and classic architecture at all times attract visitors from far and near.

In music we have every opportunity to hear Beethoven, Mozart, and Gluck, besides the music of our own period, nor are we forced only to read the modern novel of the day at the sacrifice of the literature of the past, a certain amount of which is even demanded of a man of ordinary education. I can only say, as a layman in the art of the drama, that I sympathize with all my heart with the founders of the New Theatre that at last we may hope to have a place where we can see the classic plays, not only of the past, but also from different countries, many of which we know only in book form and have never heard performed.

With this in view, it is not the purpose of the New Theatre to exclude the modern plays, but on the contrary, rather to give an incentive to modern play writers to produce plays worthy of comparison with the art of the past, and if needs be, the time may come when such plays will be especially written for the conditions which the New Theatre building will impose. Almost every metropolis has such a playhouse, generally subsidized by its Government, for the promotion of art, and with this in view the founders of the New Theatre are endeavoring to erect this building—not as is expressed in the Puritanical rhetoric of one of your correspondents, who calls it a "piece of financial splendor," but through their generosity they hope to have for the City of New York a building which shall be a fitting and monumental expression of such an uplifting endeavor, one such as can be found in every civilized city of Europe, even of one-tenth of our population.

The actual size of the building is adapted to the programme as given by the founders, and the plans are completed, the contracts given out, and the construction well advanced toward completion. It is undoubtedly the somewhat large seating capacity of the house, and the fact that it is being built upon an entire avenue block of land, which has led your correspondents to believe that the house is to be too large. As a matter of fact, the greater portion of the site is to be occupied by the dependencies of the stage, suitable dressing rooms, rooms for the storage of scenery, rehearsal rooms, foyer, &c., and a much needed and unusually large stage.

The depth of the auditorium is no greater than, if as great as, the average of the best-known subsidized theatres on the Continent. All of these theatres on the Continent vary proportionately in their several dimensions of auditorium, proscenium arch, &c., so little as to make one believe that theatre builders of France, Germany, Austria, and Italy have recognized standards, and respect the traditions of the past as well as the accumulated experience of those now in authority. In these countries theatre construction is still the outcome of the dominating principles of evolution which have existed in all serious architecture from the beginning of civilization, imposing rational and practical problems to be solved, established by a consensus of opinion of those in authority, and not from a scattered and undigested variety of whims and fancies of Englishmen and Americans, each and every one thinking alone and for himself.

This fact has greatly impressed me while tabulating from books and other documents the dimensions of the principal theatres of this country and Europe, as also while traveling abroad for an extended time for the sole purpose of study in this direction. Our auditorium is almost exactly the same depth as the Theatre Français and the Odéon in Paris, the Court Theatre of Vienna, and many others on the Continent too numerous to mention, but there is one distinctive feature in the design which is not generally known, and that is we have adopted what is called the "fan-shaped" plan instead of the well-known "horseshoe" plan.

The fan-shaped plan has generally been recognized on the Continent as being the best solution of the modern theatre, without too far departing from traditions, giving a wide and shallow house better adapted to the proper study of sight lines and better for hearing. As it happens, this plan gives a larger seating capacity within the same distance of the curtain. The fact that we have adopted this form of auditorium, together with the fact that we have a second gallery—which is unusual, if ever adopted, on the Continent—makes our seating capacity in all about 2,300, while the depth of the auditorium from curtain line to the last orchestra chair is sixty-two feet.

If in order to compare the size of our theatre in feet and inches to others measured by their seating capacity, we should inscribe within a fan-shaped plan, and with the same depth, the form of the horseshoe plan, and at the same time eliminate the top gallery—a house of these dimensions would approximately seat between 1,300 and 1,400 people, which I believe your correspondents would admit not excessive in size, but the contrary, comparatively small. Moreover, should your correspondents argue that it is the number of seats that count rather than dimensions, the scheme of the interior of the house is so arranged as to admit the shutting off of a large portion of the top gallery, which contains 800 people, thus reducing the size of the house to a capacity of about 1,900.

Without wishing to criticise criticism, more especially when such criticism has not been directed to me personally, I would like, however, if all critics could read, over and over again, the well-known advice of Matthew Arnold, the greatest critic of them all, where he says that before criticising any work of art one should ask three pertinent questions—First: What is a man trying to do, and then, Is it worth doing? and finally, Has he done it well? If your correspondents could only know a little better what the founders are trying to do, and how they are doing it, I cannot help but feel that they would better appreciate the well worth while of it all.

THOMAS HASTINGS.

New York, April 15, 1908.

CANNON ON JOURNALISM.

Calls Visiting Japanese Writers "The Boys" to Their Bewilderment.

WASHINGTON, April 17.—The forty-five Japanese who are making a tour around the world and who arrived in Washington yesterday devoted their time to sightseeing to-day.

They witnessed the opening of the Senate, and were received by Speaker Cannon.

Referring to the circumstance that there were some newspaper men in the party, the Speaker elicited a good deal of laughter when he inquired if their practices were like those of some American journalists. Discussing this class of writers he said that "if there was news, they sent it; if there was no news then they invented 'think' stories; that if one set of them did not invent 'think' stories to suit the other side they invented different 'think' stories; they then had news for the next day by contradicting the 'think' stories of the day before."

Not quite sure that he had been understood the Speaker pursued his point, saying:

"I mean do you newspaper men of Nippon write things two ways at once that haven't happened one way at all, so that the whole business will be fresh for contradiction the next day? Tell me."

A wrinkled forehead, then a sudden lightening of the countenance on the part of the spokesman for the visitors and: "I make permission to correct for the honorable great gentleman: Japan newspaper men study news hard so he shall understood excellently; then write those things very intelligent, very honest, thank you."

The Speaker sighed.

"I suppose," he said, bending a kindly eye on the intense faces of his callers, "I ought to address you all as 'boys'?"

This was clearly incomprehensible. The spokesman glanced around upon his brother editors, many of them spectacled, one or two bearded, and each reflecting his own expression of polite concern. "Pardon to me," he said. "I politely inform the honorable Sir, we are not boys—in Japan."

"I see," hastened the Speaker. "In this country we speak of all good newspaper men, all real newspaper men who know their business—as 'the boys'; it's a term of compliment and—sometimes—of endearment."

The compliment was accepted with exquisite grace of word and bow, and the newspapermen of Nippon took their polite departure.

ROOSEVELT PLEA FOR INDIAN.

Tells Oklahomans "The Oldest American of All" Should Have Fair Chance.

WASHINGTON, April 17.—President Roosevelt spoke to the members of the Tulsa (Oklahoma) Commercial Club, who called at the White House to-day and told the President that they favored the removal of restrictions of the sale of Indian lands in the new State. The President's remarks were in part as follows:

"I went over very carefully with your representatives this question of the removal of the restrictions, and came to the conclusion that substantial justice would be done to both the Indian and the white man by keeping for the Indian a homestead of forty acres of good agricultural land, and allowing him to alienate the remainder. I do not think it is to his advantage or to yours that ...ere should be large tracts of non-taxable and non-improved land.

"I will help you get your rights. Now, I want you to help me see that the Indian gets his rights. You know as well as I do that there are plenty of Indians who are not yet as well able to take care of themselves as the rest of you extremely able gentlemen from Oklahoma.

"You cannot afford in your own interest to do less than justice to the Indian. After all, he is the oldest American of all of us; so give him a fair show; give him a chance. I have no sympathy with that maudlin sentimentalism about the Indian which is most intense the further you get away from where the Indian is. The Indian who needs to be brought along for a decade or two, needs to be educated and trained until he can stand entirely on his own feet, should have your help."

SENATE RATIFIES TREATIES.

One Provides for Extradition from Tiny San Marino Republic.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, April 17.—Without the slightest exhibition of sentiment the Senate of the United States, the greatest Republic in the world, to-day ratified a treaty with the oldest, smallest, and most unique sister republic, San Marino. It provides for the extradition of criminals from either country. San Marino has a total population of 9,500 persons, while the United States numbers its people at more than 81,000,000.

A treaty with Great Britain regulating the fisheries in waters contiguous to this country and Canada was ratified, as were arbitration treaties with Portugal and Norway, and two international conventions drawn at The Hague Peace Conference. The first of these prohibits the collection of debts by armed force, except when the debtor refuses to accept arbitration; the second defines the rights and powers of neutral countries in times of war.

THE SICK DEMOCRAT.

I saw my doctor yesterday.
"Your trouble, Sir," said he,
"Is mental and not physical—
You need society;

"Companionship—you're lonely;
In politics take part.
The members of your party
Should cheer your lonely heart."

Said I: "I can't find any."
Said doctor: "How is that?"
I sighed, and turned my face away:
"I am a Democrat."

WALTER BEVERLEY CRANE.

LICHTENAUER WORK NOW ON VIEW HERE

A Number of Portraits by This Artist to Be Seen at Knoedler's.

NINE HAWTHORNE CANVASES

Both Landscape and Figure Subjects May Be Seen at the Schaus Galleries—Numerous Color Prints.

The one-man shows of the season are rapidly decreasing in number, but their quality is excellent. Apparently several of the stronger painters have left their exhibitions until reasonable leisure and reasonable weather should give the general public better opportunity to enjoy a round of their favorite galleries. At Knoedler's, in the upper gallery, are a dozen of Mr. J. Mortimer Lichtenauer's portraits and studies showing refined drawing, a decorative instinct in the placing of the figure, and a sense of color that tends, perhaps, toward heayiness, but suggests a certain quality of flesh seldom noted in portraits and true to nature. The portrait of Mrs. Walter Scheftel is especially successful in rendering the light poise of the figure and the unconventional pose of the head. The "Reverie" shows fluent drawing and a pleasant low-toned harmony of browns and greens. There is excellent modeling of the forms about the eyes and brow in the "Helen," and the blue on the hat is effectively carried down in the handsome little brooch. The "Portrait of the Artist" is admirably characterized, but the figures in the background are somewhat too insistent for the head to tell at its true value. In the portrait of Master Joseph Rothschild, on the contrary, background, accessories, and figure are brought into harmony with much skill and the combination of portraiture with decoration is remarkably well managed.

At the Schaus Galleries, 415 Fifth Avenue, Mr. C. W. Hawthorne is showing nine canvases, both landscapes and figure subjects. The latter have extraordinary distinction. "The Florist's Daughter" is especially delightful in its glow of living flesh that nevertheless is innocent of the intolerable "juiciness" achieved by many a painter in a misdirected effort toward the representation of vitality. The background, however, is less fortunate, having a restless look, and the flowers are left almost too ragged in form like the close and delicate drawing of the rest. "The Lemon Girl," a mouse-like creature standing by a table peeling a lemon, with more of the gleaming fruit strewn over the table, and with a little shawl of a beautiful yellow drawn about her thin shoulders, shows more subtlety of characterization and the same glow of opaque underpainting glazed all over with a transparent pigment. The "Boy with Wine Flask" is a haunting canvas, by far the most masterly in the collection. A Pierrot-like figure of a young lad in a white smock, with a cropped head and an almost colorless face, with a half filled wine flask in his hand, is seen against a flat background of some nondescript gray.

The exact character of the head is told, the sharp, limited intelligence in the serious eyes, the air of mingled sophistication and simplicity, the beauty of the childish oval, the elfishness of the unchildish gaze, the whole history of a tangled personality is there in the simple, careful painting, devoid of trick and full of science.

In the lower gallery is an exhibition of original etchings and engravings in color by various modern masters of the art. They range through talents the most diverse and have in each case the authoritative stamp of the artist's style and technique. In Thaulow's "Transatlantique," for example, as in his multitudinous paintings of water in motion, we get the troubled movement of the waves, the swishing and tossing surface and the heavier movement of the depths, and in the red of the smokestack we have also his characteristic note of color. Thaulow uses the print as a medium for the expression of atmosphere and texture in much the same way that he uses an oil painting—he seeks in both, that is, to make as close a translation as possible of nature as she appears to the eyes of a painter. Raffaelli, on the other hand, sees nature with the eyes of an etcher when he is making an etching. His color is never permitted to overpower his line, the sharp pattern of which is felt throughout the picture. It would be difficult to find a more delightful expression of an etcher's landscape than that with the two donkeys standing, rough in coat and meditative in mood, on the brilliant green field, while in the foreground a rooster and a hen are busy with their morning meal and in the distance clear-cut little trees come crisply up against the sky. With Raffaelli art snaps and tingles, he has yet to be caught in a sentimental mood. Yet sentiment of the truest order abounds in such a print as his "Snow Scene," with more sharp, little trees against a sullen sky and a damp chill in the motionless air.

In a print by Balestieri of the shores of the Rhine we get an almost complete obliteration of the medium. The mountains that rise above the twisting river are wrapped in mists, and the smoke of a train still further obscures them. We see the track in violent perspective, and the bright lamps of the advancing engine, and we have the sense of swift motion and the grandeur of the surroundings in a wonderful degree. Another well-known member of the band of artists devoting much time to this rewarding branch of art is Osterlind. He is represented in the present collection by a Spanish dance in which the color has a kind of smothered splendor that seems especially to belong to printed color in certain hands. We find it in the best work of the Japanese, but not often in European prints. Other artists in the group are Jourdain, Kobbe, La Touche, Houdard, Charpentier, De Latenay, Grimslun, and Luigini.

AGAINST LABOR'S DEMANDS.

Philadelphia Bourse Opposes Amending Sherman Act in Its Favor.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, April 17.—The most important of a long series of protests against any tampering with the Sherman act in the cause of labor interests was filed to-day in Congress, when Senator Knox submitted a protest from the Philadelphia Bourse. The petition denounced the amendment as unconstitutional, in exempting certain classes from the operation of the law. It was signed by George E. Bartol, President, and Emil P. Albrecht, Secretary.

Representative Hughes of New Jersey has introduced a bill amending the Sherman law by providing that it shall not be construed to apply to any arrangements, agreements, or combinations among laborers, made with a view to lessening the number of working hours, or for the increase of wages, or to combinations for the purpose of enhancing the price of their products in the market.

In the opinion of lawyers in Congress, the amendment, if passed, would be invalidated by the Supreme Court on the first test.

Of the many petitions against the amending of the Sherman Anti-Trust law, very few show enmity toward labor.

TO RESTRAIN FEDERAL COURTS

Bill Passed to Lessen Power of Judges in Cases Against States.

Special to The New York Times.

WASHINGTON, April 17.—The Senate to-day passed the Overman injunction bill, providing for a lessening of the power of Federal Judges over cases against the States. Three Judges, two of whom must be Circuit Judges, must be on the bench during a hearing for injunction against State officers, and two must agree before a decision can be handed down.

RARE ANTIQUES SEEN AT THE COLONY CLUB

Loan Exhibition of Miniatures, Fabrics, and Snuff Boxes Attracts Many Visitors.

HANDSOME COURT GOWN

Mrs. Vanderbilt Lends Perfectly Preserved Costume of Louis XVI. Period —Ives Collection of Snuff Boxes.

A loan exhibition of antique snuff boxes, miniatures, and fabrics at the Colony Club has attracted many visitors to the clubhouse in Madison Avenue this week. The exhibit will close to-morrow night. Many members and friends of the club have sent their most precious objects of art, so that the collection represents the widest and most instructive variety of antiques.

Perhaps nothing in the assembly room has attracted more attention than a perfectly preserved court gown of the Louis XVI. period, which was loaned by Mrs. Vanderbilt. This dress is of rose colored brocade shot with gold, and the trimming is of pink ribbons and roses, made from bits of silk. Several eighteenth century court costumes for men were shown by the Misses Hewitt. One of the most valuable bits of fabric was the Sixteenth Century embroidery, which belongs to Mrs. Victor Sorchan. Mrs. Charles T. Barney sent several chasubles of which the most splendid is an Archbishop's vestment in cream colored velvet, embroidered with gold and silver.

Mrs. Edward J. Berwind's offering consists of her ecclesiastical ivories, all of which are brown with age. There is a tripdytch of the Byzantine period, and these carved ivories have a case to themselves. Mrs. Ogden Codman has sent a necklace of diamonds, which was fashioned during the eighteenth century, and is a marvel of finish and beauty. The Misses Hewitt sent many antique jewels and intaglios. Brayton Ives is represented by his celebrated collection of snuffboxes, and one of carved rock crystal set in gold, is the gem of the Ives case. Mrs. William P. Douglas has loaned her antique scent bottles, and the miniatures, of which there are a hundred, were loaned by various members of the club.

Only friends of members have been asked to view this collection.

SHEPARD PARTY LEAVES.

New York Guests for Wedding at Biltmore Take Special Train.

Augustus D. Shepard, Jr., whose marriage to Miss Marie E. Baxter Rees, daughter of Mrs. Arthur F. Rees, will take place in All Souls' Church, Biltmore, N. C., on Thursday, left yesterday afternoon on a special train for Biltmore.

He was accompanied by his best man, the ushers, and a number of relatives and intimate friends, including Mr. and Mrs. Augustus D. Shepard of Fanwood, N. J.; Mr. and Mrs. John Doull Miller, Burritt H. Shepard, Mr. and Mrs. Rutherford M. Shepard, Mr. and Mrs. Osborne W. Bright, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick M. Shepard of Philadelphia, Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Morris, Mr. and Mrs. Ernesto G. Fabbri, Miss Edith H. Smalley, Miss Georgianna H. Smith, Col. Joseph S. Frelinghuysen, Mrs. Frelinghuysen, Col. John N. Stearns, Jr., Mrs. Stearns, Henry S. Thompson, Major Alfred R. Whitney, Jr., and Col. F. P. Moore.

A number of luncheons and dinners will be given at Biltmore for members of the bridal party, and Mr. and Mrs. George W. Vanderbilt will entertain them at dinner to-morrow night.

Wanner-Harris Wedding To-day.

The wedding of Mrs. Maie R. Barnum Harris, widow of Frederic Leighton Harris and daughter of Mrs. Joshua Willets Barnum, and Leo Frederic Florian Wanner of this city will take place at noon to-day in the West End Collegiate Church, the Rev. Dr. Henry E. Cobb, pastor of the church, officiating. Mrs. Preston Nelson, wife of Lieut. Nelson, U. S. N., will be the matron of honor, and Edward Wanner, a brother of the bridegroom, will be the best man.

Give Three Bachelor Dinners To-night.

Lieut. George W. Beavers, U. S. A., who is to marry Miss Mildred Hunter Arden on Monday at the Church of the Transfiguration, will give his bachelor dinner to-night at the Hotel Astor. Miss Arden will give a luncheon for the bridal party to-day. Edward Duer Reeves, who weds Miss Beatrice M. Oltrogge, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John F. Oltrogge, on Monday, will give his bachelor dinner to-night at the St. Nicholas Club.

Miss Kent and Alfred F. King to Wed.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Blake Kent, 52 East Sixty-fifth Street, has announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Georgina Marie Kent, to Alfred F. King, son of George R. King of Staten Island. Miss Kent is a sister of Mrs. Rutgers Ives Hurry, who was Miss Aline Kent. Mr. King is a Princeton graduate, Class of 1905. The date for the wedding has not been set.

Miss Meyer to Wed J. K. Rice, Jr.

Mrs. John Christopher Meyer, formerly of New York, now of New Brunswick, N. J., has announced the engagement of her eldest daughter, Miss Margaretta Meyer, to James Kearny Rice, Jr., son of Judge J. Kearny Rice of New Brunswick.

Marion Crawford's Daughter to Wed.

NAPLES, April 17.—The marriage of Miss Eleanora Crawford, eldest daughter of Marion Crawford, the novelist, to Cavalier Pietro Rocca, will take place next Monday. The witnesses will be Prince Sonnini, Prince Summonte Colonna, Marquis Strevi, and Marquis Campolattaro, ex-Mayor of Naples.

FOR TRADE SCHOOL GIRLS.

Eclectic Club Arranges Programme of Songs, Tableaus, and Violin Solos.

A varied programme of songs, tableaus, and violin solos will be presented by the Eclectic Club in the Waldorf-Astoria on April 27, and the proceeds from the entertainment will be sent to the New York State Trade School for Girls.

Mrs. Dore Lyon will conduct a "sinfonie," which has been arranged by her daughter, Miss Grace Parker Lyon, and this "Idyl of Ancient Greece" will include choruses, dancing, and soli. There will be a one-act play, "The Thief of Destiny," by Campbell MacCullough, and a series of musical tableaus from the Nibelungen Lied will be arranged. These include pictures from the Wagner operas, and for contrast to the classic goddesses of the North there will be piquant advertising posters in tableau.

Maurice Warner, the young violinist, will take part, and the Entertainment Committee consists of Mmes. J. A. Cozzino, Charles F. Naething, Robert W. Johnson, Leonard L. Hill, Wesley Smith, D. W. Truss, and Albert C. Bage.

FOOD.

STRONG AS A MULE

Farmer Gets Power from Food.

Anyone can better his condition, if eating improper food, by changing to the right kind.

It is becoming well known among all classes of people in this country that strength of mind and body come from the nourishment that is taken into the system in the form of food.

A cowboy whose stomach got all out of order on a ranch, went to farming and incidentally found the cause of his trouble and the way out of it. He writes:

"I was raised on a cow ranch, lived like the rest on beef and potatoes, often eating too much, until my stomach became so weak and I was so run down I had to quit the job.

"Then I tried farming, but did not get any better. My nerves were all unstrung, and I could not sleep at night. A year ago I saw an ad. about Grape-Nuts being such a wonderful food, and told my wife I was going to try it.

"So I bought a box of Grape-Nuts and by the time I had used this food two weeks the weakness began to leave my stomach.

"Now I weigh 184 lbs., and am as strong as a mule. We eat Grape-Nuts for breakfast, and I also take some as a lunch between meals. I must say that Grape-Nuts is the best food there is, and nearly every one in town, seeing my improvement, has taken to eating it."

"There's a Reason." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich. Read "The Road to Wellville," in pkgs.

BEAR STORY FOR CHILDREN.

Annual Matinee to Aid Woman's Exchange Will Be Given Thursday.

The annual matinee for children in aid of the Woman's Exchange will be given on Thursday, April 23, at Wallack's Theatre. Instead of the usual vaudeville performance Prof. Lyman Underwood of Boston will tell the story of a pet bear, illustrated with pictures.

The bear was found in the forest by the professor when it weighed only five pounds, and was brought up in a family of children. The story is said to be fascinating and the pictures excellent.

The patronesses include Mrs. Jonathan Therne, Mrs. W. G. Choate, Mrs. A. B. Boardman, Mrs. A. M. Dodge, Mrs. J. J. Emery, Mrs. Louis Henop, Mrs. George J. Gould, Mrs. John Henry Hammond, Mrs. W. D. Hatch, Mrs. Dallas B. Pratt, Mrs. Douglas Robinson, Mrs. James Speyer, Mrs. G. W. Wickersham, Mrs. Paul Morton, and the Misses Harriman, Barnes, Burkham, and Dana.

Goulds to Take English Country Place.

Mr. and Mrs. George J. Gould and their family will sail on May 5 for England, and will remain abroad throughout the Summer. Mr. and Mrs. Gould intend leasing a country place in England. When they return to this country they will stay at the Plaza until the completion of their new home, at Fifth Avenue and Sixty-seventh Street.

Social Notes.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Chapman Sprague of 214 West Ninety-second Street will celebrate their silver wedding to-night.

Senator Aldrich of Rhode Island, Mrs. Aldrich, and Miss Lucy Aldrich have been spending several days at the Gotham.

Ralph J. Preston and the Misses Preston, who have lately returned from Aiken, are at the Gotham.

Thomas G. Blakeman, who has recently returned from Europe, is at the Buckingham.

Mrs. J. R. Anderson of Richmond, Va., and Mrs. C. Vanderbilt Cross are at the Buckingham.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Ambrose Clark and Mrs. E. S. Clouston and Miss Clouston of Montreal, who have just returned from abroad on the Adriatic, are at the St. Regis.

Mrs. C. Ledyard Blair and Miss Blair, who have returned to town from the Virginia Hot Springs, Va., are at the St. Regis.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert S. McCormick, who have been in town for several days, returned yesterday to Chicago.

WILL ARREST PLAY PIRATES.

Theatrical Managers to Prosecute Actors in Pirated Productions

Now that the National Association of Theatrical Producing Managers has induced the Southern railways to reduce their tariff rates to the standard of 2 cents a mile, the association will enter on a new field of activity, the suppression of play pirates. The starting of theatrical tent shows and cheap stock companies, playing towns out of the regular track of legitimate organizations, have proved continual sources of trouble and particular attention will be devoted to them.

The association will see to it that both the managers and the actors in pirated productions are arrested and prosecuted to the limit of the law and that attachments are made to obtain payment of damages. The association yesterday issued a general letter of warning to all theatre owners and managers, informing them that the manager of a theatre in which a pirated production is offered will be held equally as responsible as the pirate for the unauthorized presentation.

NEW DANCE BY GENEE.

She Will Introduce the "Sir Roger de Coverly" on Monday.

Adeline Genee will introduce a new dance into "The Soul Kiss" at the New York Theatre, beginning on Monday evening. The dance is called "Sir Roger de Coverly," and is taken from Genee's great success of that name at the Empire in London.

This "Sir Roger de Coverly" will show Genee first in a minuet form of dance, followed by a livelier gallop movement, and finally ending in a graceful series of steps and moves arranged by the dancer herself. The new dance will be introduced in the dressing-room scene of the second act.

Shakespeare on the East Side.

The Dramatic Society of the East Side House Settlement, Seventy-sixth Street and the East River, will give a performance of "The Merchant of Venice" on Friday evening, April 24. The proceeds will be given to some one of the house charities. The young players have been coached by John D. Barry, who trained their former production of "As You Like It."

Actors to See Yale Men in "Revizor."

Many prominent men and women of the stage have accepted the invitation of the Yale Dramatic Association to be present at the production of "Revizor," the Russian farce, on the afternoon of April 20. The actors will applaud the ambitious students from boxes and later meet them. Among those who will be present are: William H. Crane, Miss Margaret Illington, Miss Charlotte Walker, Miss Elisabeth Marbury, Frank Keenan, John Barrymore, and Donald Brian. Last night the Yale actors attended the performance of "Nearly a Hero" at the Casino, and later had supper in Rector's.

Circle's New Play Postponed a Week.

"The Merry-Go-Round," the new musical offering which was scheduled at the Circle Theatre for Monday evening, has been postponed for a week, until Monday evening, April 27. This is the first piece offered by the new Circle Producing Company, in which Felix Isman is interested. The reason for the delay given by the management is that the alterations in the building have not been completed. However, the regular Sunday Night in Bohemia will be given to-morrow evening.

THEATRICAL NOTES.

Wallace Eddinger, now with Robert Edeson in "Classmates," will play a special engagement at the head of the Nixon Theatre stock company in Pittsburg this Summer under the management of Will A. Page.

Mlle. Fougere has been added to the performers at the benefit to be given to Mack Hilliard and John Miller at Weber's Music Hall on Sunday evening.

Vernon Stiles made his first appearance last night with "A Waltz Dream" at the Broadway Theatre, succeeding Edward Johnson in the role of Lieut. Niki. Josie Sadler, now playing in this piece, will sail for London on May 2 to join the London company under the management of Charles Frohman.

George Cohan, David Warfield, Victor Moore, Otis Skinner, R. C. Herz, Donald Hall, Percy Haswell, Cecelia Loftus, and many more players have volunteered their services for the Mary Fisher Home benefit at the Waldorf-Astoria on April 24. Muriel Walton will do an Oriental dance, and Mme. de Rabagliate will offer an Arab dance.

Frank Lea Short, director of the Yale Dramatic Association, entertained the students yesterday at 200 West Eighty-first Street. All the amateur players were present.

Senator La Follette Improving.

WASHINGTON, April 17.—Senator La Folette of Wisconsin, who has been confined to his room for two weeks by illness, is much improved, and expects to be in attendance upon the regular sessions of the Senate in a very few days.

TWO MORE THEATRES FOR MORRIS CIRCUIT

Leases Signed for the American in This Borough and the Fulton in Brooklyn.

BOTH FOR NEW VAUDEVILLE

Ten Houses Now in Control of the Company — Circuit to be Opened Next Fall.

William Morris, vaudeville manager, announced yesterday that he has completed arrangements for having at least two theatres in Manhattan and one in Brooklyn when he opens his circuit in September.

That Mr. Morris is booking attractions in New York for Felix Isman's Circle Theatre is generally known. Yesterday, in addition to this, the William Morris Amusement Company acquired leases for the new Fulton Theatre, in Brooklyn, and the American Theatre, in Manhattan, at Forty-second Street and Eighth Avenue. The company is also negotiating for still another New York theatre.

The Fulton Theatre will be located in Fulton Street, near Nostrand Avenue, and is to be completed not later than Sept. 1, in time for the inauguration of the Morris circuit. By arrangement with Felix Isman and William T. Keogh, the Morris company has taken over Mr. Keogh's lease of the American Theatre, which still has three years to run.

Mr. Morris will take up the Keogh lease on May 1, and the first attraction at the house thereafter will be the Italian Grand Opera Company, opening on May 4. The house will be devoted to vaudeville beginning in the Autumn.

A representative of Felix Isman last night explained that Mr. Isman would stand practically in the position of landlord to the Morris Company. Mr. Isman is interested in the welfare of the Morris vaudeville undertakings.

Mr. Morris now has ten theatres ready for his acts in the Autumn, and is offering vaudeville players twenty weeks of continuous time, and in some exceptional cases forty weeks, twenty to be played in this country and twenty in Europe.

Mr. Morris has established regular connections for booking vaudeville acts in London, Berlin, and Vienna music halls. Julian Rose and Grace Hazard are among the players for whom he has obtained London openings.

He hopes soon to have similar arrangements with managers in Paris.

HESS BACK AT OLD POST.

Concertmeister Again of the Boston Symphony Orchestra.

Willy Hess, after a season abroad, returns to his old post as concertmeister of the Boston Symphony Orchestra next season, replacing Carl Wendling. It is also announced that he will start a new quartet, to be known as the Hess-Schroeder Quartet, in which Alwin Schroeder, 'cellist, and Theodorowicz, violinist, both formerly of the Kneisel Quartet, will play. The viola player is not yet selected.

It is said, however, that there is an understanding that Mr. Hess's first concern shall be his regular work with the orchestra, and that he must subordinate his rehearsals and concerts with the projected Hess-Schroeder Quartet and his teaching and private engagements.

With all Mr. Hess's ability and experience as a concertmeister, the drawback to his work here in previous years has been his preoccupation with other ventures.

SOUVENIR FOR MR. CONRIED.

Metropolitan Orchestra Gives Him an Album—His Last Night.

Mr. Conried received another souvenir of his Directorship of the Metropolitan Opera House yesterday when the members of the orchestra presented to him an album containing scenes from some of the operas which he has produced there and the following letter:

To Heinrich Conried:

The members of the orchestra of the Metropolitan Opera House of New York present to you this testimonial in acknowledgment and recognition of your great artistic achievements in the production of grand opera during the five years of your administration of the Metropolitan Opera House.

They desire to thank you for your generosity in promoting the interests and welfare of the orchestra and to express to you the wish that your work may live in the hearts of the music-loving public in New York.

Mr. Conried ends his five years' Directorship of the Metropolitan to-night with the performance of "Die Götterdämmerung."

ORCHESTRA FUND GROWS.

Symphony Society Members Subscribe More Than Half the Amount Needed.

Subscriptions are coming in rapidly, it was announced last evening, for the fund which is to be used by the New York Symphony Society to maintain its orchestra as a permanent organization all the year round.

Samuel S. Sanford and Frank A. Munsey head the list with $2,500 each for the next three years, and among recent subscribers for $1,000 yearly are H. Harkness Flagler, Robert J. Collier, and Mrs. John E. Zimmermann.

Mme. Nordica yesterday gave $1,000 to the fund. More than one-half the amount needed to maintain the orchestra for the next three years has already been subscribed.

GLACIA CALLA TO SING HERE.

Begins a Series of Operatic Concerts at Her Home in Portsmouth, N. H.

It was announced last night that Miss Glacia Calla, the dramatic soprano, will be heard in a short series of operatic concerts, the first to be given at her home, in Portsmouth, N. H., after which Portland, Me.; Concord, N. H.; Boston, Philadelphia, and New York will be visited.

The New York concert will take place on Tuesday afternoon, May 19, and on this occasion Miss Calla will sing Micaela's aria from "Carmen," a song by Massenet, and the garden scene from "Faust."

Miss Calla is said to have been a "favorite pupil" of Mme. Marchesi and M. Duvernoy. She had arranged, it is said, to come to America for a concert tour before the death of her brother. She will be accompanied on her tour by Edouard Castellano, tenor, and Mr. Occellier, baritone.

Safonoff to Conduct in London.

Wassily Safonoff, conductor of the New York Philharmonic Society, who sailed last week for London, is to conduct the London Symphony Orchestra on May 10. Albert Spaulding, violinist, will be the soloist on that occasion, playing Tschaikowsky's concerto. On May 18, Safonoff and Spaulding appear with the Symphony Orchestra in Florence.

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MRS. FRANCES W. HUNTER DEAD

Was a Newport Social Leader Years Ago—Senator Wetmore's Aunt.

Special to The New York Times.

NEWPORT, R. I., April 17.—Mrs. Frances Wetmore Hunter, daughter of the late Samuel Wetmore of New York and widow of the late Thomas R. Hunter, died at her home to-day, in her eighty-ninth year. Her first husband, John Taylor, was a prominent merchant in Cuba, and was lost at sea coming from Cuba to New York.

Mrs. Hunter was a leader in social circles in the days when Newport first became famous as a society centre.

She is survived by six children, one son, John J. Taylor, by her first husband, and five children by her second marriage, William R. Hunter, Charles Hunter, Mrs. William Rogers Morgan, Mrs. Shafter Howard, and Miss Augusta Hunter. United States Senator George Peabody Wetmore is a nephew.

Prof. James Remington Fairlamb.

Prof. James Remington Fairlamb, 72 years old, who was a fellow-student in music with Christine Nilsson and was appointed Consul to Zurich, Switzerland in 1861 by President Lincoln, died Thursday at his home, 179 Cypress Avenue, Ingleside, L. I. For years before his death Prof. Fairlamb was instructor in vocal and instrumental music in the Flushing schools.

Edward R. Lowe.

Edward Ricketson Lowe, 60 years old, for many years manager of the Lowe Wrecking and Diving Company, died at his home, 806 Herkimer Street, Brooklyn, Wednesday evening.

Mr. Lowe was born at Bridgeton, Nova Scotia, but had lived in Brooklyn fifty years. He built the Croton Dam.

Obituary Notes.

Dr. DE WITT CRUMB, an aged physician, is dead at his home in South Otselic, Chenango County, N. Y.

CHARLES T. DICKSON, a veteran of the civil war, died Thursday night at the home of his son, Henry B. Dickson, in Orange, N. J. His widow and three sons survive.

Mrs. MARY LIDLE, 57 years old, widow of Augustus F. Lidle, died yesterday in the home of her son-in-law, Aaron Hiler, in Orange, N. J. Ten daughters and two sons survive her.

RICHARD A. HUNT of Dover, N. J., died Thursday in a sanitarium here, following a surgical operation. He became ill Monday and was at once taken to the hospital.

EDWARD BEESLEY, Sr., a retired hat manufacturer and furrier of Newark, N. J., died in that city Thursday night. He was born in Lancaster, England, but came to this country in 1872.

Capt. EPHRAIM S. RANDALL, for more than a quarter of a century past a leading steamboat and excursion resort owner, died at his home in Washington, D. C., yesterday after a long illness. He was 58 years of age.

EDWIN J. TOOF, an inventor, died at his home in New Haven yesterday. He was 79 years old. He was a pioneer in perfecting inventions which revolutionized several departments of sewing machine manufacturing.

ROBERT PEARSON, a detective attached to the office of Prosecutor Garvin of Hudson County, died of pneumonia yesterday at his home, 871 Montgomery Avenue, Jersey City. Mr. Pearson had been a member of the Jersey City Police Department for twenty-seven years.

SISTER SUPERIOR LOUISE GONZAGA, whose name in the world was Louise McAvoy, died of pneumonia Wednesday night in St. Vincent's Hospital. Sister Louise had been attached to St. Vincent's Parish thirty-eight years. She was born in Philadelphia fifty-eight years ago.

FREDERICK ROEMMELE, 80 years old, an undertaker of Williamsburg, died yesterday at his home, 826 Graham Avenue. He was born in Baden, Germany, but has been a resident of this country since 1851. In 1902 he and his wife celebrated the golden anniversary of their wedding. Two years later she died.

WILLIAM H. BRETTELL, a photographer, died Wednesday at his home, 743 President Street, Brooklyn. He was 58 years old.

Dr. JOHN WILSON ROBIE, 71 years old, died at his home, 184 West Eighty-second Street, on Wednesday. He was a graduate of the College of Physicians and Surgeons and a member of the County Medical Society.

Record Price for Bar Harbor Estate.

Special to The New York Times.

BAR HARBOR, Me., April 17.—Henry Jensen Haight and Edward Haight of New York, heirs of the Haight estate at Bar Harbor, have transferred one of the largest Summer estates at the fashionable resort to Walter G. Ladd of Bedminster, N. J. The estate includes a cottage, five acres of land, and 600 feet short frontage on Duck Brook, in the midst of the fashionable cottage section on the upper harbor. The price paid was $70,000, a record price for land per acre at this Summer resort.

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R. M. M'NAUGHT DEAD; A FAMOUS DETECTIVE

In Pursuit of Fugitive Criminals He Visited Nearly Every Country in the World.

STARTED AS A BOOKBINDER

Then Became a Policeman — Byrnes Was His Ideal Sleuth — McNaught Retired in 1905.

Robert Morgan McNaught, one of the detectives who made police history under Byrnes, died at his home, 502 Marion Street, Brooklyn, yesterday after a lingering illness of several months. He had been off the force since 1905, when he was retired, at his own request, to take charge of the detective work of the Mercantile Safe Deposit Company of 180 Broadway.

Robert, or "Bob," McNaught, as everybody on and off the force called him, started life as a bookbinder and for eleven years followed that trade.

In July, 1876, he was appointed a patrolman. In less than a year he was transferred to the Detective Bureau, where he remained until his retirement.

McNaught was the man who traced Augustus D. Wheelock, the famous forger, and finally landed him in London in 1881.

Another famous case that McNaught solved was that of Julius Columbani, who in 1877 negotiated for the notorious Mrs. Peck $10,000 worth of securities. Samuel Kane, alias "Slocum," and John Norton, alias the "Kid," are two other famous criminals who were caught by McNaught. They stole a valise that contained $27,000 in bonds from 29 Broadway in September, 1878, and when McNaught captured them he had been on the detective force less than fourteen months.

Clinton Ainsworth, alias "Brother Dick," who stole 1,000 of 4,000 unsigned ten-dollar notes of the Consolidated Bank of Canada, was another of McNaught's captures.

McNaught caught many other criminals, his pursuits leading him to nearly every country in the world.

In 1905, when McNaught retired, he publicly stated that Byrnes was the best of all the detective chiefs he had served under. McNaught was then in charge of the Detective Bureau of the District Attorney's office, a position that he held under District Attorneys Fellows, Gardiner, Philbin, and Jerome.

McNaught was born in 1847, and married in August, 1870, Miss Eleanor Betts of this city. She with four children survive him. One of his boys, Robert Morgan McNaught, Jr., is now a Lieutenant on the police force. McNaught once said that if he had twelve boys he would be perfectly satisfied to see all of them policemen.

BUSINESS NOTICES.

Tompkins & Tompkins, Counselors-at-Law, 156 Fifth Avenue. Wills, Probate of Wills.

Married.

GUTHMAN—FRIENDLY.—On April 16, Louis Guthman to Sarah C. Friendly.

SIGNOR—HOWELL.—On April 15, George C. Signor to Emma La Rue Howell.

Died.

COWPLAND.—On Thursday, April 16, Samuel Neal Cowpland, aged 56 years. Service at his late residence, 106 West 61st St., New York, Saturday at 1:30 P. M.

DOERINCKEL.—April 16, 1908, Frederick C. Doerinckel, youngest son of Katherine and the late Frederick R. Doerinckel. Funeral services at the residence of his mother, 22 Mt. Morris Park West, April 19. Interment private.

FEARING.—At Rome, on Thursday, April 16, Henrietta Strong, wife of Daniel B. Fearing. Funeral at Rome. Interment at Newport, R. I.

HOPKINS.—Entered into rest April 15, 1908, at Hastings, Neb., Benjamin Booth, beloved husband of Esther M. Hopkins and eldest son of the late William and Mary A. Hopkins. Funeral services Saturday evening at 8 o'clock, to which friends are invited, at residence of his brother-in-law, Asahel K. Smith, 21 Second Place, Brooklyn. Interment on Sunday in Greenwood. Hastings and Lincoln (Neb.) papers please copy.

HOYT.—At New Canaan, Conn., Friday, April 17, 1908, Edwin Hoyt, in his 76th year. Funeral services will be held from his late residence, New Canaan, on Monday, April 20, at 2:30 P. M. Carriages in waiting at New Canaan Station on train leaving Grand Central Station at 12:03 and New Haven Station at 12:03 noon.

LUDINGTON.—On Friday, April 17, 1908, at New York, after a short illness, Josephine Lord Noyes, beloved wife of Charles H. Ludington, in her 69th year. Funeral private. It is requested that no flowers be sent.

ROBIE.—Suddenly, April 15, at his late residence, 184 West 82d St., John Wilson Robie, M. D., in the 72d year of his age. Funeral services from Park Presbyterian Church, 86th St. and Amsterdam Av., Saturday, April 18, at 11 A. M. Manchester (N. H.) papers please copy. Kindly omit flowers.

SEYMOUR.—On April 16, 1908, John Cotes Seymour of this city, son of Eliza Martin Otto and Walter Marvin Seymour, in the 59th year of his age. Notice of funeral hereafter.

SHELLEY.—At her residence, 158 West 63d St., on Wednesday, April 15, Catherine T. Shelley, beloved daughter of the late James and Mary Shelley. Funeral will be held at the Paulist Church, 59th St. and Columbus Av., at 1:30 on Saturday, April 18. Interment at Calvary.

ACRET.—At 8,779 21st Av., Bensonhurst, April 16, Kate F. Acret.

BEAN.—At 348 East 30th St., April 16, Andrew Bean. Funeral notice later.

BILLING.—At Home for Incurables, 183d St. and 3d Av., Norma O. Billing. Funeral to-day.

BISHOP.—At 417 West 18th St., April 15, Mary E. Bishop. Funeral to-day, 10 A. M.

BRENNAN.—At 50 St. Mark's Place, Brooklyn, April 16, Frank J. Brennan.

BUROW.—At 588 Avenue A, Jersey City, April 15, Catherine Burow, aged 50.

CONLEY.—At 2,626 Broadway, April 16, Howard C. Conley. Funeral to-day.

CRAWFORD.—At Keyport, N. J., April 16, Charles V. Crawford. Funeral to-day, 2:30 P. M.

CRETER.—At 1,427 Bryant Av., Philip Creter, aged 36. Funeral to-morrow, 11 A. M.

DANIEL.—At 432 Gates Av., Brooklyn, April 16, Harriet H. Daniel. Funeral private.

DONNELLY.—At 102 Henry St., Brooklyn, April 17, Mary E. Donnelly.

DUNN.—At 367 5th Av., Brooklyn, April 15, Bridget Dunn. Funeral to-day.

ELLERY.—At 792 Madison St., Brooklyn, April 16, James H. Ellery, aged 52.

FAIRLAMB.—At 176 Cypress Av., Flushing, J. Remington Fairlamb, aged 56.

FINGLETON.—At 866 Euclid Av., Brooklyn, Michael Fingleton. Funeral April 20.

FINLEY.—At 1,441 Park Av., April 15, Margaret Finley. Funeral to-morrow, 1 P. M.

FORSTER.—At Pennington, N. J., April 16, Martha Forster, aged 90. Funeral to-day, 2 P. M.

FUCHS.—At 99 Elton St., Brooklyn, April 16, Eugene Fuchs, aged 72.

GAYNOR.—At 225 West 20th St., April 15, Catherine A. Gaynor. Funeral to-day, 2 P. M.

GENTES.—At 442 57th St., Brooklyn, April 16, Jacob Gentes, aged 86.

GORMAN.—At 336 East 79th St., Michael J. Gorman. Funeral to-day, 1:30 P. M.

GUNDLACH.—At 250 Fairview Av., Germania Heights, Brooklyn, Anna L. Gundlach.

HANLON.—At 655 East 16th St., April 16, Margaret Hanlon. Funeral to-morrow, 1:30 P. M.

JACOBUS.—At 120 Sumner Av., Brooklyn, April 16, Mary Jacobus. Funeral to-morrow.

KOENIG.—At 504 East 55th St., April 15, Leopold Koenig. Funeral to-morrow, 10 A. M.

KRAUS.—At 253 51st St., Brooklyn, April 16, Adele Kraus. Funeral to-morrow.

LACY.—At St. Vincent's Hospital, April 16, Michael A. Lacy. Funeral to-day, 10 A. M.

LICKDORF.—At 62 Catharine St., Julius Lickdorf. Funeral to-day, 1:30 P. M.

LODOMEZ.—At 169th St. and Sedgwick Av., Alexander Lodomez. Funeral to-morrow, 11 A. M.

LORD.—At Bethany Deaconesses Hospital, April 15, Louis A. Lord, aged 28.

LOWE.—At 806 Herkimer St., Brooklyn, Edward R. Lowe, aged 60.

LYNCH.—At 272 Kingston Av., Brooklyn, April 17, Lillian F. Lynch.

MALONEY.—At Perth Amboy, N. J., April 15, Patrick J. Maloney.

MAYER.—At 125 East 80th St., April 16, Henrietta Mayer, aged 89. Funeral private.

McCORT.—At 205 Monroe St., April 16, James McCort. Funeral to-morrow, 2 P. M.

McGUIRE.—At 1,311 Clinton Av., Bronx, April 16, Mary McGuire.

McHALE.—At 470 Prospect Av., Brooklyn, April 17, Delia McHale.

McNAMEE.—At 687 Union St., Brooklyn, April 17, David A. McNamee. Funeral to-morrow.

MERRILL.—At 316 Clinton Av., Brooklyn, April 17, Charles Merrill.

MORAN.—At Plainfield, N. J., April 14, Patrick Moran.

MORSE.—At 92 Lexington Av., Brooklyn, April 16, Richard Morse. Funeral to-day.

NEVIN.—At 161 Wyckoff St., Brooklyn, April 15, Clara G. Nevin. Funeral to-day.

O'CONNOR.—At 428 New York Av., Jersey City Heights, Annie O'Connor. Funeral to-day.

O'NEILL.—At 321 East 87th St., April 16, Owen O'Neill. Funeral to-morrow, 2 P. M.

PORTIER.—At 1,318 Brook Av., Bronx, April 16, Frederick W. Portier.

REID.—At 152 2d St., Brooklyn, April 16, William D. Reid.

ROEMMELE.—At 826 Graham Av., Brooklyn, April 17, Frederick Roemmele, Sr.

SCHAUD.—At West 18th St., Jersey City, April 16, Robert Schaud, aged 27. Funeral to-morrow.

SCHNITZLEIN.—At 241 East 94th St., April 16, Marie Schnitzlein. Funeral to-morrow, 2:30 P. M.

SCHOPP.—At 1,216 49th St., Brooklyn, April 15, Jacob Schopp, aged 78.

SCHREIBER.—At Fort Lee, N. J., April 15, Henry A. Schreiber.

SCHLOSSER.—At 697 East 161st St., April 16, Wilhelmine Schlosser. Funeral to-morrow, 1 P. M.

SHEPHERD.—At 122 5th Av., Brooklyn, April 16, George B. Shepherd, aged 65.

SHERIDAN.—At 1,517 Charlotte St., Bronx, John Sheridan.

SPARKS.—At Chappaqua, N. Y., April 15, Hannah Sparks, aged 84. Funeral to-day.

UNDERHILL.—At Mount Kisco, N. Y., April 17, Francis L. Underhill. Funeral private.

VAN ORDEN.—At 16 Astor Place, Yonkers, April 15, Sarah Esther Van Orden, aged 76.

VON LYNCKER.—At 201 East 10th St., April 16, Fritz Von Lyncker, aged 62. Funeral to-morrow, 10 A. M.

VOORHIS.—At 347 Union Av., Elizabeth, N. J., April 16, Albert E. Voorhis, aged 43.

WEGE.—At 129 Floyd St., Brooklyn, April 16, Margarethe Wege.

WRIGHT.—At 17 West 63d St., Thomas W. Wright, aged 77. Funeral service to-day.

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THE SUNDAY TIMES

THE PICTURE SECTION

Appropriate to Eastertide, The Times will publish to-morrow a splendid full-page picture of Pope Pius X., the latest photograph of his Holiness, and inscribed by him with a blessing and his autograph in Rome less than four weeks ago. The photograph is an unusually good likeness, and its reproduction will be perfect. Another striking page of the Picture Section to-morrow will carry a series of remarkable photographs showing the daring workmen of the Metropolitan Life Tower at their work, seven hundred feet above the ground, photographs most gripping in their interest. The thousands who are following the fortunes of the New York to Paris motor car racers will find interesting photographs of the Thomas car's departure from Seattle, and lovers of horses will find an attractive collection of photographs of many of the celebrated animals of Mr. Walter Winans's English stables. There will be a page of entertaining photographs of young women who are prominent on the New York stage just now, and photographs of women well-known in New York society. Interesting examples of the important exhibition of sculpture now being held at Baltimore will be shown on another page. There will be many pictures of especial appeal to children. Altogether, the Picture Section of The Times to-morrow is well designed to furnish entertainment, for the pictures are of unusual interest and variety.

THE SUNDAY TIMES IS ALWAYS SOLD OUT EARLY.

WHAT THE MOTOR CARS WILL FACE IN SIBERIA

A few years ago there was an automobile race from Peking to Paris. A man who participated in that contest has written for the Sunday Times an article of exceptional interest forecasting what awaits the New York to Paris motor car racers in their crossing of Siberia. It is a story that will be read with pleasure by all automobilists and by the thousands who are following the fortunes of the cars engaged in the contest.

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IDEALS AND PURPOSES FOR THE NEW THEATRE

The Times, in its daily editions, has recently published several interesting letters concerning the New Theatre. There will be an article of value in the Sunday Times on this subject. It will carry the views of E. H. Sothern, Harrison Grey Fiske, and John Corbin. These highly qualified gentlemen will discuss at length ideals and purposes for the New Theatre—and the exchange of views is of interest and importance to all to whom the theatre makes appeal.

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THE ROMANCES OF THE ROYAL HOUSE OF SAVOY

Among the royal houses of Europe there are few, if any, possessing more romantic history than does the House of Savoy. This is the house of the Duke of the Abruzzi, whose name continues persistently linked with that of Miss Katherine Elkins of Washington. An article in the Sunday Times, by Stephen Bonsal, will recount some of the romances of Italy's royal family, and it will tell in an interesting way of the present personages who go to make up Italy's royal Court.

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WAR'S MEANING TO THE PEOPLE OF JAPAN

Another of Thomas F. Millard's articles on the evolution now in progress in Japan will be published in the Sunday Times. These articles are throwing powerful light on Japan's internal condition and the crisis through which that nation is passing. To-morrow's article goes right to the heart of the results to her people of Japan's financial programme for military and naval equipment. Mr. Millard's articles should be read by every one who desires to be well informed on the affairs of the East.

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THE COST OF MAINTAINING OUR SHIPS OF WAR

The new navy which dates from the Spanish war has cost to date $1,244,651,000. Of this amount only $309,000,000 has been expended on ships. The rest has gone to the maintenance of the naval establishment, and in The Times to-morrow is a detailed account which shows the vast amounts which are wasted through a lack of business methods. It is found that the finished product, the ships themselves, are economically maintained, when once away from a navy yard, but that the cost of maintaining the shore plant is more than two-thirds the cost of the floating part, the fleet.

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THE MYSTERY OF THE "SLEEPING SICKNESS"

A scourge which is now attracting the attention of the entire medical world is that strange malady which attacks dwellers in the Dark Continent, the "sleeping sickness" of Africa. New light on the weird scourge was obtained by Dr. Koch, the famous German scientist, who arrived here a few days ago after a long time spent in Africa, where he had gone for the purpose of making a study of the disease. The story of the hundreds of thousands who have fallen victims to this scourge and of the mystery which had so long shrouded its origin, is told in The Times to-morrow.

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A MILLION CATHOLICS TO CELEBRATE

One million New York Catholics are planning to celebrate the one hundredth anniversary of the Metropolitan Archdiocese next week in one of the biggest demonstrations of the kind ever seen in this country. Two Cardinals and the Apostolic Delegate will take part in the ceremonies, to say nothing of Archbishops and Bishops by scores. Five thousand children are to sing in chorus; 40,000 laymen will parade. There will be an article in the Sunday Times giving the details of the celebration, and accompanying this article will be one defining the new marriage law of the Church, written by one high in authority within the Church.

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WHAT AN ENGLISH EXPLORER FOUND IN IRELAND

In an effort to obtain an answer to that old, old question, "What is the matter with Ireland?" an emissary of The London Daily Mail recently went on a tour of investigation. He made many strange discoveries, most of them paradoxes. In an early stage of his quest he felt that he thoroughly understood the whole situation. At the end of it he was absolutely certain that he had not even begun to understand it. The story tells of the troubles which have beset the Emerald Isle, and is told in an engaging way, set off with many anecdotes and containing bits of description which brings the reader close to the scenes that are described. The article forms one of the features of the Magazine Section of The Times to-morrow.

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Looking for Profit in Real Estate?

The Annual Real Estate Number of THE NEW YORK TIMES, Sunday, April 26, will bring together buyers and sellers. Advertising space should be reserved without delay.—Adv.

CONDITIONS OF TRADE.

The leading commercial weeklies find little in the events of the last week, as reported by their correspondents throughout the country, on which to base optimistic comment.

Bradstreet's says:

Easter trade at retail, though affected in sections by unfavorable weather, is, on the whole, fair. Collections show slight improvement at a few centres, and filling-in orders by jobbers are a trifle better, but reports from leading industries are no more favorable; rather more weakness is noted in iron and steel, and Fall trade in leading lines is still disappointingly backward.

The dullness in building lines, being 40 per cent. below 1907, affects all lines of materials, and export and import trade are ebbing, indicating the first decrease in foreign trade from the preceding fiscal year noted for five years past. Crop conditions seem to be fully maintained.

Railway gross earnings for March show the largest decrease yet reported, and the number of idle cars on April 1 was larger than at the middle of March. High prices, coincident with Lenten observances, are probably responsible for the smallest sales of meats reported this year. The number of idle hands is as large as for some time past, wage reductions curtail buying power, and the number of failures continues far ahead of a year ago.

Dun's Review says:

Easter trade and generally favorable weather accelerated retail distribution of merchandise, but there is no evidence of increased activity in preparation for future business, nor are manufacturers disposed to operate more extensively. In fact, some net curtailment of output is noted, and more reductions in wages have occurred. Little change can be discerned in the total number of unemployed. Postponed structural work is started very slowly.

Railroad earnings in the first week of April were 14 per cent. less than a year ago, reports of freight movement being irregular, as is the case with all commercial news, some Northwestern and Southwestern centres reporting much better conditions than other sections of the country.

FOREIGN PUBLIC SECURITIES.

Following are yesterday's quotations for several European State and municipal securities:

	Bid.	Asked.
German consols, 3½s	90¾	91⅝
German consols, 3s	81⅜	82½
Bavarian Government, 4s	99¼	100
Hessian Government, 3½s	90½	91
Saxony Government, 3s	81	82
Hamburg Government, 3s	80½	81¼
City of Cologne, 4s	98	99
City of Munich, 4s	97¾	98¼
City of Augsburg, 4s	97⅜	98½
City of Frankfurt-on-Main, 3½s	90¼	91
Mexican Government, gold 5s	100½	101¼
Russian Government, 4s	83	83½
French Rente, 3s	96	97
British consols, 2½s	86⅝	87¼

THE TREASURY BALANCES.

WASHINGTON, April 17.—National bank-notes received to-day for redemption, $2,083,488; Government receipts from internal revenue, $750,770; customs, $853,857; miscellaneous, $167,722; expenditures, $2,400,000.

The condition of the Treasury at the beginning of business to-day was as follows:

RESERVE FUND.

Gold coin and bullion	$150,000,000

TRUST FUNDS TO REDEEM OUTSTANDING CERTIFICATES.

Gold coin	$844,555,869
Silver dollars	458,013,000
Silver dollars of 1890	5,196,000
Total	$1,307,764,869
General fund	167,432,468
Deposits in National banks	204,459,200
In Philippine Treasury	3,412,229
Awaiting reimbursement	381,100
Current liabilities	123,161,249

COLORADO MINING STOCKS.

Special to The New York Times.

COLORADO SPRINGS, Col., April 17.—The following were the closing quotations on the local Exchange to-day:

	Bid.	Asked.		Bid.	Asked.
Dante	8¾	9	Isabella	33⅜	34¼
Elkton	50⅝	51	McKinney	28	29½
El Paso	31	32½	Portland	100	105
Rawlins	15½	17	Vindicator	79	82
Findlay	25⅜	26	Work	11½	12

Receiver for Crutchfield & Co.

A petition in bankruptcy has been filed against Crutchfield & Co., cotton brokers at 43 Exchange Place, and members of the Cotton Exchange, composed of David Crutchfield, Charles Crutchfield, and John R. Cunningham by these creditors: George H. Beall, $660; George W. Skidmore, $635, and Enrico M. Scognamillo, $2,400, for moneys deposited with the firm for investment. The firm suspended on Thursday. Judge Hough appointed Robert D. Murray receiver. It was stated that the assets are $60,000, chiefly in outstanding claims.

NEW YORK INCORPORATIONS.

Special to The New York Times.

ALBANY, April 17.—The following companies were incorporated to-day:

Alba Lime Rock Company, Warwick, Orange County; capital, $400,000. Directors—George H. Wolle and Clarence A. Wolle, Bethlehem, Penn.; Robert A. Peattie, 32 Nassau Street, New York.

D. G. C. Valve Company, New York; capital, $300,000. Directors—Leo A. McTighe and Chauncey Matlock, 17 Park Row, New York; August E. Heerd, Brooklyn.

Batavia Rubber Company, Batavia, Genesee County; capital, $70,000. Directors—Lewis Benedict and Augustus A. Smith, Attica; Ashton W. Caney, Batavia, N. Y.

One Hundred and One Fifth Avenue Company, Wayland, Steuben County, (real estate;) capital, $60,000. Directors—Roswell F. Easton, 215 West 101st Street; Adin G. Pierce, 70 West 164th Street, New York; James L. Robertson, Jr., Bronxville, N. Y.

General Publicity Company, New York, (advertising;) capital, $50,000. Directors—F. W. Mills and H. M. Browne, 154 Nassau Street; H. P. Jones, 12 Dutch Street, New York.

Distinguishing Valve Company, New York; capital, $50,000. Directors—Leo A. McTighe and Chauncey Matlock, 17 Park Row, New York; August E. Heerd, Brooklyn.

Fred D. Oetjen Company, New York, (dairy products;) capital, $30,000. Directors—Charles H. Nolte, 301 East Sixty-eighth Street; Frederick D. Oetjen, 695 East 170th Street; Robert E. Gaskell, 329 East Sixty-fifth Street, New York.

Up-to-Date Manufacturing Company, New York, (automobile appliances;) capital, $25,000. Directors—C. S. Goodfellow, Rockaway Beach, L. I.; F. W. Mills and H. M. Broune, 154 Nassau Street, New York.

Rabinowitz-Perlstein Company, New York, (clothing; capital, $25,000. Directors—Myer S. Perlstein, 2 West 120th Street; Louis Perlstein, 73 West 116th Street, New York; Louis Rabinowitz, 1,535 Fifty-fourth Street, Brooklyn.

Electric Welding Company, Brooklyn; capital, $24,000. Directors—Ove Lange, 260 Eighty-third Street; Christian Nielsen, 209 Ninth Street; Herman O. Amundsen, 269 Eighty-third Street, Brooklyn.

Hanover Press, Oyster Bay, L. I.; capital, $10,000. Directors—Albert C. Thompson, 172 North Seventh Street, Newark, N. J.; Herbert J. Boone, 354 East Seventy-ninth Street; Edward F. Dickinson, 686 East Fifth Street, New York.

Nassau Sand and Gravel Company, New York; capital, $10,000. Directors—John Fleming, 109 Broad Street; John W. Sullivan, 827 East Ninth Street; William E. Cleary, 17 South Street, New York.

Raymore Realty Company, New York; capital, $10,000. Directors—Joseph Wittner, 150 Nassau Street; Hulda Wittner, 552 West 146th Streuet; Ray Karpas, 158 West 121st Street, New York.

New York Oil Cabinet Company, New York; capital, $10,000. Directors—Jessie L. Goodspeed and Henry S. Goodspeed, 62 Columbia Street; Franklin P. Thomas, 39 Bainbridge Street, Brooklyn.

Hamblin Realty Company, New Rochelle, Westchester County; capital, $6,000. Directors—Charles A. Florence, 94 Main Street, New Rochelle, N. Y.; J. W. Gannon, 68 South Tenth Street, Newark, N. J.; John Graham, 320 Broadway, New York.

Maryland Wood Products Company, Maryland, Otsego County; capital, $60,000. Directors—George M. Gaffney, Maryland, N. Y.; William S. Gaffney and R. J. Gaffney, Bradford, Penn.

Sheriff Street Realty Corporation, New York; capital, $5,000. Directors—Mendel W. Greenberg, 1,545 Madison Avenue; Selig Isaacson, 139 East 110th Street; Lieb Rosenberg, 127 Delancey Street, New York.

Mill End Tailors, New York; capital, $3,500. Directors—Adolph Rothmiller, 2,411 Seventh Avenue; Harry Rothmiller, 518 West 184th Street; Moritz Wahrman, 112 West 144th Street, New York.

Helen Noldi Grand Opera Company, New York; capital, $1,950. Directors—Achille Alberti, 16 West 102d Street; Thomas T. Auburn, 368 West 125th Street; Marian Cohen, 538 West 143d Street, New York.

Rotating Heel Company, New York; capital, $1,000. Directors—Edgar B. Frank, 61 East Eighty-second Street; O. Toffler, 2,846 Decatur Avenue; Irving H. Weisberger, 804 East Seventy-eighth Street, New York.

Ocean Heights Realty Company, New Brighton, S. I.; capital, $1,000. Directors—Joseph Gerhardt, William Huck, Jr., and E. L. Dunn, 27 Pine Street, New York.

Broadbrook Realty Company, New Brighton, S. I.; capital, $500. Directors—Howard Isherwood, C. Albert Slade, and James R. Mapletoft, 27 Pine Street, New York.

George Richter Company, New York, (mason work;) capital, $500. Directors—George R. Richter, 100 William Street, New York; Agnes C. Richter, 237 Seventh Street, Jersey City, N. J.; Catharine Calahan, 71 Schaeffer Street, Brooklyn.

New Medical Aid Society, New York; capital, $1,000. Directors—Willard Oscar Carpenter, 201 West 148th Street; Herman Appel and Nathan Appel, 295 West 147th Street, New York.

Dissolutions.

Frank's Ticket Agency. Secretary, Charles H. Payne, Upper Montclair, N. J.

Thompson-Baxter Construction Company. Attorney, Warren Southard Jordan, Peekskill, N. Y.

HAD NO TIP ON THE PANIC.

President Mellen of the New Haven Denies Crozier's Statement.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., April 17.—The attention of President C. S. Mellen of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad Company was called to-day to the statement of A. O. Crozier of Wilmington, Del., made yesterday before the House Committee on Banking and Currency at Washington. Mr. Crozier stated that a prominent financier had told President Mellen that a panic was to be brought on before the meeting of Congress, and on that information, Mr. Crozier said, the railroad borrowed $80,000,000.

Referring to this statement, Mr. Mellen to-day in the strongest language denounced it as absolutely absurd and unqualifiedly false. He added that the plans of his company for borrowing money had been made for a year or more before the panic, and that the original plan had provided for an issue of stock. This had been changed, owing to later panic conditions, to a loan at par of 6 per cent. debentures.

At the time the loan was planned, and for a considerable time subsequently, neither he nor, in his opinion, any prominent financier of the country anticipated the panic conditions and the unfavorable condition for railroad loans which subsequently ensued.

As confirming this statement of Mr. Mellen's it is pointed out in banking circles here that the plan of issuing new stock was outlined in the last annual report of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad Company, the scheme providing for the issue of a large amount of new stock at $125 a share, and rights on the new stock to be delivered were actually sold by brokers.

LATEST CUSTOMS RULINGS.

Canadian Wood Pulp Must Pay the Countervailing Duties.

The United States Circuit Court of Appeals at Chicago, in a decision by Judge Baker, has declined to reverse the lower court and the Board of General Appraisers in the matter of countervailing duties imposed by the Collector on importations of wood pulp from Canada entered by John B. Heekendorn.

The wood pulp in question was manufactured in Ontario from Quebec pulp wood. It was maintained by the importer that the wood pulp should be exempted from the countervailing clause of Paragraph 898 of the Dingley tariff. No exception was taken to the imposition of the regular duties, but the additional tax was alleged to be unlawful.

In denying the contention of the importer Judge Baker says: "In the form of a license fee for the privilege of cutting pulp wood on public lands in the Province of Quebec, 40 cents a cord is collected on what is consumed in manufacture within the Dominion of Canada and 65 cents a cord on what is exported. Looking beyond form, we find that a tax of 25 cents a cord is imposed on all pulp wood cut on public lands in the Province of Quebec, which at any point is taken beyond the boundaries of the Dominion of Canada. In its essential nature this is an export duty."

THE EUROPEAN MARKETS.

PARIS, April 17.—Trading on the Bourse to-day was stagnant and prices were firm. Three per cent. rentes, 96f 47½c for the account.

Exchange on London, 25f 12½c for checks.

BERLIN, April 17.—Prices on the Boerse to-day were rather firm and trading was light.

The executive and sales departments of the American Bank Note Company have been established in the company's new building at 70-72 Broad Street, New York. The factory will continue as before at 78-86 Trinity Place.

TO THE HOLDERS OF

NATIONAL RAILROAD COMPANY OF MEXICO

PREFERRED STOCK AND SECOND PREFERRED STOCK.

Referring to the Plan for the Readjustment and Union of the Mexican Central Railway Company, Limited, and National Railroad Company of Mexico, the undersigned beg to inform holders of the above stocks that the terms offered for same have been agreed on after prolonged negotiations, and recommend their acceptance and the deposit of shares under the Plan without delay.

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April 6, 1908.

Mexican Central Railway Company, Limited, National Railroad Company of Mexico.

To the Holders of the following Securities:

MEXICAN CENTRAL RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED:

Priority Five Per Cent. Bonds,
First Mortgage Seven Per Cent. Bonds and Scrip, Assented,
Consolidated Mortgage Four Per Cent. Bonds,
First Consolidated Income Bonds and Scrip,
Second Consolidated Income Bonds,
Registered Income Bonds and Scrip,
Stock.

NATIONAL RAILROAD COMPANY OF MEXICO:

Preferred Stock,
Second Preferred Stock,
Common Stock (old),
Deferred Stock.

Referring to our previous notice, dated April 6th, the undersigned have consented to act as Readjustment Managers of a Plan of Readjustment and Union of Mexican Central Railway Company, Limited, and National Railroad Company of Mexico, through the constitution of a new company, under the name of Ferrocarriles Nacionales de Mexico (National Railways of Mexico,) to be controlled by the Mexican Government by stock ownership.

The New Company is to authorize the following bonds and shares:

a. Prior Lien Four and One-Half Per Cent. Sinking Fund Redeemable Gold Bonds, for $225,000,000 United States Gold.

b. General Mortgage Four Per Cent. Sinking Fund Redeemable Gold Bonds, for $160,000,000 United States Gold, unconditionally guaranteed, principal and interest, by the Republic of Mexico, by endorsement on each bond.

c. Non-Cumulative Four Per Cent. First Preferred Shares for 60,000,000 Mexican Gold Pesos or $30,000,000 United States Gold.

To assure to the holders of First Preferred Shares the payment of semi-annual dividends of 1% for the period of three years from January 1, 1908, to the extent to which the net profits of the Company which shall first be applied for that purpose shall not be sufficient to make such payment, provision is to be made for the setting aside by the New Company, as a separate fund, of $1,800,000 Prior Lien Bonds, and $1,200,000 Guaranteed General Mortgage Bonds, or in case of a sale thereof, then a sufficient amount of the proceeds thereof.

d. Non-Cumulative Five Per Cent. Second Preferred Shares for 250,000,000 Mexican Gold Pesos or $125,000,000 United States Gold.

e. Common Shares for 150,000,000 Mexican Gold Pesos or $75,000,000 United States Gold.

TABLE SHOWING BASIS OF EXCHANGE OF SECURITIES.

Deposited Bonds and Stocks	Each $1,000 par value of old Securities is to receive					
	Cash	4½% Prior Lien Bonds	Guaranteed 4% General Mortgage Bonds	First Preferred Shares	Second Preferred Shares	Common Shares
MEXICAN CENTRAL RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED:	$	$	$	$	$	$
Priority 5% Bonds		700	475			
First Mortgage 7% Bonds and Scrip (Assented)		1,000				
Consolidated Mortgage 4% Bonds		600	325		75	
First Consolidated Income Bonds and Scrip					1,100	
Registered Income Bonds and Scrip					1,100	
Second Consolidated Income Bonds					1,000	
Stock					1,000	
NATIONAL RAILROAD COMPANY OF MEXICO:						
Preferred Stock	100			1,000		
Second Preferred Stock					1,100	
Common Stock (old)					733⅓	333⅓
Deferred Stock						1,000

For further particulars with respect to the rights of the holders of the respective classes of bonds of the New Company, and certain rights reserved to the New Company to issue additional bonds of each class ranking "pari passu" with the other bonds of the same class as well as for additional details touching the exchange of securities, reference is made to the Plan and Agreement of Readjustment and Union, copies of which may be obtained at the office of any of the Depositaries.

For a full statement of the rights of the holders of the respective classes of shares of the New Company, reference is made to the Decree of the Federal Government of the Republic of Mexico, dated July 6, 1907, a copy of which has been filed with each of the Depositaries and can be inspected at the office of any of the Depositaries.

Holders of securities and stock of MEXICAN CENTRAL RAILWAY COMPANY, LIMITED, called for deposit, who desire to become parties to the Plan, must, on or before May 1, 1908, deposit their securities and stocks, under the Plan with CENTRAL TRUST COMPANY OF NEW YORK, No. 54 Wall Street, New York, or with its Agents for that purpose in Boston.

KIDDER, PEABODY & CO., 115 Devonshire Street, Boston.

Holders of stocks of NATIONAL RAILROAD COMPANY OF MEXICO who desire to become parties to the Plan, must, on or before said May 1, 1908, deposit their stocks under the Plan, with THE MERCANTILE TRUST COMPANY, No. 120 Broadway, New York.

Deposits of stocks and securities of both of said companies also may be made:

In London with	J. HENRY SCHRODER & CO.,	SPEYER BROTHERS,
	GLYN, MILLS, CURRIE & CO.,	SWISS BANKVEREIN.
In Amsterdam, with	HOPE & CO.,	TEIXEIRA DE MATTOS BROTHERS.
In Mexico, with	BANCO NACIONAL DE MEXICO.	

No securities will be accepted for deposit unless in negotiable condition. First Consolidated Income Bonds of the Central Company must carry all coupons maturing after July 10, 1892; Second Consolidated Income Bonds must carry all coupons; other bonds must carry all coupons maturing after January 1, 1908; and all certificates of stock must be accompanied by proper transfers and assignments executed in blank and duly stamped. For securities deposited proper certificates of deposit will be delivered, and on such deposit the depositor will become bound by all the provisions of the Plan and Agreement of Readjustment and Union, to the exact terms of which reference is made, and upon the terms of which solely will deposits be accepted.

The Plan has been approved by the Government of Mexico, and, subject to the sanction of its debenture holders, by the Board of Directors of the Mexican Central Railway Securities Company, Ltd., which holds over $37,500,000 Consolidated Mortgage 4% Bonds of the Mexican Central Railway Company, Limited, and by the holders of a majority of the outstanding stock of the Mexican Central Railway Company, Limited, and of the National Railroad Company of Mexico, and by the respective boards of directors of the two Companies last named.

Dated April 15th, 1908.

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$2,000 Norfolk & Western R. R. Impt. and Exten. 6% Bds., 1934.
$1,000 Iowa Central Ry. 1st Mtg. 5% Bond, 1938.
$2,000 Texas & Pacific Ry. 1st Mtg. 5% Bonds, 2000.
22 shs. Iowa Central Railway pf.
15 shs. American Law Book Co. pf.
$500 Jarvis-Conklin Mortgage Trust Co. Deb. Bond Ctf., $397.75 paid on account.

BY ORDER OF EXECUTORS.

$1,000 Central Pacific Ry. 1st Refdg. Mtg. 4% Bond, 1949.
$1,000 Maine Steamship Co. 1st Lien 5% Bond, 1931.

FOR ACCOUNT OF WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.

$2,000 Wabash R. R. 1st Mtg. 5% Bds., 1939.
$2,000 Flint & Pere Marquette R. R. 6% Bonds, 1920.
$10,000 Denver & Rio Grande R. R. Consol. new 1st Mtg. 4% Bonds, 1936.
$2,000 Toronto, Hamilton & Buffalo R. R. 1st Mtg. 4% Bonds, 1946.
20 shs. Natl. Park Bank.
20 shs. Natl. City Bank.
$1,419,000 Chesapeake Western Ry. 1st Mtg. Bonds.
6,084 shs. Chesapeake Western Ry. pf.
8,112 shs. Chesapeake Western Ry. common.
$500,000 Pocahontas Co. 1st Mtg. Bonds.
100 shs. Stiegel Lumber Corpn.
100 shs. United States Steel Corpn. pf.
50 shs. Associated Merchants Co. 1st pf.
10 shs. Sherwin Williams Co., Cleveland, Ohio.
$1,000 Brooklyn & New York Ferry Co. 1st Mtg. 6% Bond, 1911.
25 shs. C. W. Bliss Co. pf.
300 shs. Champion Steel Co.
50 shs. Natl. City Bank.
22 shs. Pittsburg, Bessemer & Lake Erie R. R. pf.
$60,000 Mobile, Jackson & Kansas City R. R. 1st Con. Mtg. 5% Bds., 1953.
$47,000 Central of Georgia R. R. 3d Income Stamped Bonds, 1945.
$33,000 Central of Georgia R. R. 2d Income Bonds, 1945.
5 shs. People's Surety Co.
$4,000 Black River Water Co. 1st Mtg. 5% Bonds, 1931.
$10,000 Florida & East Coast Ry. Guar. 6% Notes, Aug. 1, 1910.
$6,000 Wheeling & Lake Erie R. R. Equipment 4½% Bonds, Nov. 1, 1911.

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New York, April 17th, 1908.

The Directors have this day declared the usual semi-annual dividend of TEN (10) PER CENT., payable on and after the first day of May next to the shareholders of record at three P. M. April 21st, 1908.

LOFTIN LOVE, Cashier.

MEETINGS AND ELECTIONS.

UNION PACIFIC RAILROAD COMPANY
Special Meeting of Stockholders.

120 Broadway, New York, March 26, 1908.

TO THE STOCKHOLDERS OF THE UNION PACIFIC RAILROAD COMPANY:

Notice is hereby given that a special meeting of the stockholders of Union Pacific Railroad Company has been called by the Board of Directors to convene at the office of the Company at Salt Lake City, in the State of Utah, on the **5th day of May, 1908, at 10 o'clock A. M.,** for the purpose of considering and acting upon the following propositions, viz.:

1. To approve or ratify the sale to said Union Pacific Railroad Company of the railroad and branches, constructed or to be constructed, of The Leavenworth, Kansas and Western Railway Company, together with all the property, rights, privileges and franchises thereto pertaining, and all other property of the Company last named;

2. To approve or ratify the sale to said Union Pacific Railroad Company of the railroad and branches, constructed or to be constructed, of The Topeka and Northwestern Railroad Company, together with all the property, rights, privileges and franchises thereto pertaining, and all other property of the Company last named;

3. To authorise or approve an issue of bonds to be secured by a mortgage of a portion of said Union Pacific Railroad Company's lines of railroad, together with the appurtenances, including the lines of railroad proposed to be purchased as aforesaid.

The books for the transfer of the stock (both preferred and common) will be closed for the purpose of the meeting at 12 o'clock noon, on the **11th day of April, 1908,** and will be reopened at 10 o'clock A. M., on the **6th day of May, 1908.**

By order of the Board of Directors.

ALEX. MILLAR, Secretary.

Notice is hereby given that a special meeting of the stockholders of the ORANGE COUNTY MILK ASSOCIATION will be held at the office of the company, No. 146 West 25th Street, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 1st day of May, 1908, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of authorizing and empowering the Directors of this company to borrow the sum of Twenty Thousand Dollars ($20,000.00) on the bond and mortgage of the company on its property known as 513-519 West 25th Street and to execute all papers necessary to perfect the transaction, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the said meeting.

Dated New York, April 17th, 1908.

WARREN LOWELL, Secretary.

OFFICE OF
THE LAKE SHORE AND MICHIGAN SOUTHERN RAILWAY COMPANY,
Cleveland, O., April 6th, 1908.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of this Company, for the election of Directors, and for the transaction of such other business as may be brought before the meeting, will be held at the principal office of the company in Cleveland, Ohio, on the FIRST WEDNESDAY (being the 6th day) of MAY, 1908, at 10 o'clock A. M. The poll will continue open for one hour thereafter.

By order of the Board of Directors.

DWIGHT W. PARDEE, Secretary.

OFFICE OF THE AMERICAN ENAMELED BRICK & TILE COMPANY,

No. 1 Madison Av., New York City—April the 16, 1908.—Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of Stockholders of the AMERICAN ENAMELED BRICK & TILE COMPANY will be held in accordance with the Company's by-laws on Monday, May 4th, 1908, at noon, at the office of the Company, No. 1 Madison Av., New York City, for election of Directors and for the increase of number on the board.

THE ANNUAL MEETING of the shareholders of the New York Society Library, for the election of fifteen Trustees, will be held at 100 University Place, on Tuesday, April 28th, from 8:30 to 9:30 P. M.

BEVERLY CHEW, Secretary.

DISSOLUTION NOTICES.

Notice is hereby given that the LENTZ MFG. CO., composed of the undersigned, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent.—Dated April 14, 1908.

JOSEPH W. BRIGHTMAN.
ADOLPH LENTZ.

DETROIT, TOLEDO & IRONTON RAILWAY COMPANY

First and Second Preferred Stockholders' Protective Committee.

At the request of the holders of a large number of first and second preferred shares of stock, the undersigned are now acting as a Protective Committee.

Prompt action is necessary, and holders of first and second preferred stock are urged to deposit their stock certificates endorsed in blank with the COLUMBIA TRUST COMPANY, 135 Broadway, New York, which will issue negotiable receipts therefor.

WILLARD V. KING,
EVANS R. DICK,
EDWARD L. OPPENHEIM, } Committee.

FAIRMAN R. DICK, Secretary,
30 Broad Street, New York.

PASKUS, COHEN, LAVELLE & GORDON, Counsel.

Knickerbocker Trust Company.

Notice is hereby given that the transfer books for Knickerbocker Trust Company Installment Certificates of Deposit, issued in accordance with provisions of the Plan for Resumption of Business, dated December 17, 1907, will close on Saturday, April 18, 1908, at 12 o'clock noon, and will reopen on Thursday, April 23, 1908, at 10 o'clock A. M. Interest for the six months ending April 22d, 1908, will be credited on April 22d, 1908, to the drawing accounts of the Certificate holders of record.

New York, April 17, 1908.

COPARTNERSHIP NOTICES.

STATE OF NEW YORK, COUNTY OF NEW York, ss.:

I, LOUIS R. CARAGOL, do hereby certify that my name is as above stated; my residence is No. 120 Prospect Park West, Brooklyn, New York City; that I was one of the partners of MANUEL CARAGOL & SON, a copartnership having business relations with foreign countries, and I intend to do business and deal under the name of Manuel Caragol & Son.

In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and seal this 8th day of April, 1908.

LOUIS R. CARAGOL.

State of New York, County of New York, ss.:

On this 8th day of April, 1908, before me personally came Louis R. Caragol, to me known and known to me to be the person described in and who executed the foregoing certificate and he acknowledged to me that he made and signed the same.

G. H. O'DONNELL,
Notary Public, N. Y. Co.

PROPOSALS.

FORT SCHUYLER, N. Y., MARCH 28, 1908.—Sealed proposals, in triplicate, will be received until 11 A. M. April 20, 1908, for repairing, painting, and installing plumbing fixtures Post Hospital. Information furnished on application. U. S. reserves right to reject any or all proposals. Envelopes containing proposals will be marked "Proposals for Repairing Hospital," and addressed Lieut. Chas. L. Fisher, Qr. Mr.

PUBLIC NOTICES.

PURSUANT TO STATUTORY REQUIREMENT, notice is hereby given that an act, Assembly No. 1829, Int. No. 978, has been passed by both branches of the Legislature, entitled

AN ACT
TO AMEND THE GREATER NEW YORK CHARTER, IN RELATION TO THE SUPPLY OF WATER BY METERS.

Further notice is hereby given that a Public Hearing upon such bill will be held at the Mayor's Office in the City Hall in the City of New York, on Monday, April 20, 1908, at 11:30 o'clock A. M.

Dated City Hall, New York, April 15, 1908.

GEORGE B. McCLELLAN, Mayor.

This bill will be the first heard at that time.

ATTENTION IS CALLED TO THE ADVERTISEMENT in The City Record of April 10 to 24, 1908, of the confirmation by the Board of Revision of Assessments, and the entering in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears, of assessments for LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS in the BOROUGH OF MANHATTAN: 17TH WARD, SECTION 2. EAST 12TH STREET—REPAIRING SIDEWALK in front of Nos. 503 and 505.

HERMAN A. METZ, Comptroller.

City of New York, April 9, 1908.

PUBLIC NOTICES.

ATTENTION IS CALLED TO THE ADVERTISEMENT in The City Record of April 10 to 24, 1908, of the confirmation by the Board of Revision of Assessments, and the entering in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears, of assessments for LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS in the BOROUGH OF THE BRONX: 23D WARD, SECTION 10. KELLY STREET—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING, FLAGGING, LAYING CROSSWALKS, BUILDING APPROACHES, AND ERECTING FENCES, between Westchester Avenue and Intervale Avenue, north of 167th Street. 24TH WARD, SECTION 11. EAST 176TH STREET—REGULATING, GRADING, CURBING, FLAGGING, LAYING CROSSWALKS, BUILDING APPROACHES AND PLACING FENCES, from Arthur Avenue to the Southern Boulevard.

HERMAN A. METZ, Comptroller.

City of New York, April 9, 1908.

PURSUANT TO STATUTORY REQUIREMENT, notice is hereby given that an act, Assembly No. 713, Int. No. 634, has been passed by both branches of the Legislature, entitled

AN ACT
TO AMEND THE GREATER NEW YORK CHARTER, IN RELATION TO THE RELIEF FUND OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Further notice is hereby given that a Public Hearing upon such bill will be held at the Mayor's Office in the City Hall in the City of New York, on Monday, April 20, 1908, at 11:30 o'clock A. M.

Dated City Hall, New York, April 16, 1908.

GEORGE B. McCLELLAN, Mayor.

This bill will be the ninth heard at that time.

PURSUANT TO STATUTORY REQUIREMENT, notice is hereby given that an act, Assembly No. 848, Int. No. 95, has been passed by both branches of the Legislature, entitled

AN ACT
TO AMEND THE GREATER NEW YORK CHARTER, RELATIVE TO SALARIES OF MEMBERS OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Further notice is hereby given that a Public Hearing upon such bill will be held at the Mayor's Office in the City Hall in the City of New York, on Monday, April 20, 1908, at 11:30 o'clock A. M.

Dated City Hall, New York, April 16, 1908.

GEORGE B. McCLELLAN, Mayor.

This bill will be the sixth heard at that time.

HEADQUARTERS OF THE FIRE DEPARTMENT of The City of New York, Nos. 157 and 159 East Sixty-seventh Street, Borough of Manhattan, The City of New York.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES will be received by the Fire Commissioner at the above office until 10:30 o'clock A. M. on

TUESDAY, APRIL 28, 1908.
Boroughs of Brooklyn and Queens.

For furnishing and delivering one hundred tons of cannel coal for Borough of Brooklyn and fifty tons of cannel coal for Borough of Queens.

For full particulars see City Record.

NICHOLAS J. HAYES, Fire Commissioner.

Dated April 15, 1908.

PURSUANT TO STATUTORY REQUIREMENT, notice is hereby given that an act, Assembly No. 1028, Int. No. 807, has been passed by both branches of the Legislature, entitled

AN ACT
TO AMEND THE GREATER NEW YORK CHARTER, IN RELATION TO THE SALE AND TRANSFER OF HORSES OF THE FIRE, POLICE, AND STREET CLEANING DEPARTMENTS.

Further notice is hereby given that a Public Hearing upon such bill will be held at the Mayor's Office in the City Hall in the City of New York, on Monday, April 20, 1908, at 11:30 o'clock A. M.

Dated City Hall, New York, April 16, 1908.

GEORGE B. McCLELLAN, Mayor.

This bill will be the eighth heard at that time.

DEPARTMENT OF BRIDGES, Nos. 13 to 21 Park Row, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES will be received by the Commissioner of Bridges at the above office until 2 o'clock P. M. on

THURSDAY, APRIL 23, 1908.

For constructing the footwalk flooring of the Blackwell's Island Bridge over the East River, between the Boroughs of Manhattan and Queens.

For full particulars see City Record.

JAMES W. STEVENSON, Commissioner of Bridges.

Dated April 10, 1908.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES.—Sealed estimates for furnishing Cement and Rip-rap Stone (Contract 1,135) will be received by the Commissioner of Docks, at Pier A, Battery Place, until 12 o'clock noon, Monday, April 27, 1908. (For particulars see City Record.)

PUBLIC NOTICES.

NEW YORK SUPREME COURT, THIRD Judicial District, Ulster County.—In the matter of the application and petition of J. EDWARD SIMMONS, CHARLES N. CHADWICK, and CHARLES A. SHAW, constituting the Board of Water Supply of the City of New York, to acquire real estate for and on behalf of the City of New York, under Chapter 724 of the Laws of 1905, and the acts amendatory thereof, in the Town of Olive, Ulster County, New York, for the purpose of providing an additional supply of pure and wholesome water for the use of the City of New York.—Ashokan Reservoir, Section No. 2, Ulster County.

Public notice is hereby given that the First Separate Report of Alanson Page Smith, Isaiah Fuller, and Reginald W. Rives, who were appointed Commissioners of Appraisal in the above-entitled matter by an order of this court, made at a special term thereof, held at the Court House, in the City of Kingston, Ulster County, New York, April 20th, 1907, was filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Ulster, on the 21st day of February, 1908, and affects parcels numbers seventy (70), seventy-six (76), seventy-seven (77), fifty-eight (58), fifty-four (54), fifty-nine (59), forty-eight (48), eighty-one (81), forty-five (45), seventy-five (75), fifty-five (55), fifty-seven (57), sixty-seven (67), sixty-eight (68), sixty-four (64), sixty-six (66), seventy-eight (78), forty-seven (47), forty-nine (49), seventy-nine (79), sixty-three (63), fifty-two (52), forty-three (43), sixty-nine (69), fifty (50), shown on the map in this proceeding.

Notice is further given that an application will be made at a special term of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, to be held in and for the Third Judicial District, at the Court House in the City of Kingston, Ulster County, New York, on the 18th day of April, 1908, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, for an order confirming said report, and for such other and further relief as may be just.

Dated New York, March 23d, 1908.

FRANCIS KEY PENDLETON,
Corporation Counsel,
Hall of Records,
New York City.

SUPREME COURT, SECOND JUDICIAL DISTRICT.—In the matter of the petition of THOMAS F. GILROY, Commissioner of Public Works of the City of New York, under and in pursuance of Chapter 490 of the Laws of 1883, and the laws amendatory thereof, on behalf of the Mayor, Aldermen, and Commonalty of the City of New York, for the appointment of Commissioners of Appraisal under the said acts.

CORNELL DAM EIGHTH SUPPLEMENTAL PROCEEDING.

NOTICE OF FILING AND OF MOTION TO CONFIRM FIFTEENTH SEPARATE REPORT.

Public notice is hereby given that the Fifteenth Separate Report of the Commissioners of Appraisal in the above-entitled matter was filed in the office of the Clerk of the County of Westchester, at White Plains, in said county, on the 16th day of March, 1908.

Notice is further given that the Fifteenth Separate Report includes and affects the parcels of land designated as Parcels Nos. 10¼, 15¼, 33½, 34, 120, 121, 190, 191½, 515, and building on Parcel No. 507.

Notice is further given that an application will be made at a Special Term of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, to be held in and for the Ninth Judicial District, at the Court House of said Court, in the Village of White Plains, Westchester County, New York, on the second day of May, 1908, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, for an order confirming said report, and for such other and further relief as may be just.

Dated New York, April 1st, 1908.

FRANCIS K. PENDLETON,
Corporation Counsel.

Hall of Records, corner of Centre and Chamber Streets, Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

ATTENTION IS CALLED TO THE ADVERTISEMENT in The City Record of April 10 to 24, 1908, of the confirmation by the Board of Revision of Assessments, and the entering in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears, of assessments for LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS in the BOROUGH OF RICHMOND: 1ST WARD. REGULATING, GRADING, AND PAVING THE ROADWAYS of MAINE AVENUE, from Jewett Avenue to second proposed street east; OHIO PLACE, from College to Maine Avenue; NEW YORK AVENUE, from Jewett Avenue to station, 10x36; BOULEVARD, from Jewett to Fisk Avenue; DAKOTA PLACE, from Washington Place to Waters Avenue; DEEMS AVENUE, from Washington Place to Boulevard; NEAL DOW AVENUE, from Watchogue Road to Indiana Avenue; ST. JOHN'S AVENUE, from Watchogue Road to Lathrop Avenue; WARDWELL AVENUE, from Washington Place to Indiana Avenue; WASHINGTON PLACE, from Jewett to Wardwell Avenue, and WOODBRIDGE PLACE, from Willard to Fisk Avenue.

HERMAN A. METZ, Comptroller.

City of New York, April 9, 1908.

COURT CALENDARS

FEDERAL COURTS.

Calendar for Saturday, April 18.

UNITED STATES CIRCUIT COURT—Ward, J.—Opens in Room 100 Post Office Building at 10:30 A. M. Motion calendar. Adjourned causes. 1—Hamilton-St. John. 2—Briggs-Pitkin & Brooks. 3—Berber Asphalt Co-42d St, &c, Ry. 4—Pfaelzer-Bach Fur Co. 5—Crown Cork and S Co-Standard Crown C Co. 6—Aero Pulverizer Co-Lissen Mfg Co. 7—In re De Paal. Causes noticed. 8—In re Maggio. 9—In re Gallitano. 10—Chalmers Knitting Co-Columbia Mesh K Co. 11—Belding-Hall Co-Silberstein. 12—Poppe Co-Reliance Motor Car Co. 13—Allenel-Klaw & Erlanger. 14—Florenzsame. 15—Life Pub Co-Bamforth. 16—Weston Elec Instrument Co-Am Instrument Co. 17—Whitman-Weber & Heilbroner. 18—C. L. Blanding Mfg Co-Frankel. 19—Stevens-Bowring & Co. 20—Wm. Wrigley, Jr. & Co-Gutman.

STATE COURTS.

Court of Appeals Calendar.

ALBANY, April 17.—Court of Appeals calendar for Monday: 224, 142, 208, 218, 225, 229, 230, 231.

Calendars for Saturday, April 18.

SUPREME COURT—Special Term—Part II.—Hendrick, J.—Opens at 10:30 A. M. Ex parte business.

SURROGATES' COURT — Chambers—Beckett, S.—Will for probate at 10:30 A. M.: William A. Martin.

CITY COURT—Special Term and Chambers—Green, J.—Opens at 10 A. M. Ex parte business.

Receivers Appointed—New York.

SUPREME COURT—Leventritt, J.—William J. Kinsey & Co. vs. Patterson Hotel Company—Morris J. Hirsch.

SUPREME COURT—Hendrick, J.—Peter Korn vs. Samuel Krulewitch—H. Tuchen. Lewis Haims vs. Samuel Weinstock—M. B. Cohen.

Referees Appointed—New York.

SUPREME COURT—Dowling, J.—Miller vs. Albenese—Edward J. Dowling.

SUPREME COURT—Hendrick, J.—Seligman vs. Seligman—William Allen. In re Abraham—James D. McClelland. Dreyer vs. Brooks—P. J. Dobson. Vanderlehr vs. Webster Realty Company (2)—William Allen. Redfield vs. Finn—W. A. McQuaid.

BUSINESS TROUBLES

BARNET GOLDING.—A petition in bankruptcy has been filed against Barnet Golding, grocer, 215 Division Street, by these creditors: Standard Grocery Company, $416; Max Lesser, $39, and Max Rubin, $75. It was alleged that he was insolvent, made preferential payments, and transferred merchandise and accounts of $2,000.

B. FRIEDMAN & BROTHERS.—Schedules in bankruptcy of B. Friedman & Brothers, manufacturers of furs, 18 East Sixteenth Street, show liabilities of $59,475, and no assets except a suit for $25,000 damages against Edgar Lehman. Among the creditors are the State Bank, $11,103, secured; Leopold Gassner, $10,483; Edgar Lehman, $6,000, and Dimon Brothers, $8,000.

ROBINSON & ROSE.—Robinson & Rose, clothing manufacturers, 710 Broadway, have made a settlement with creditors at 35 cents on the dollar, payable 10 cents cash and the balance in notes at three, six, and nine months, and Judge Hough has dismissed the petition in bankruptcy filed against them on March 13. Their liabilities were about $40,000.

LOUIS DANISHEFSKY.—A petition in bankruptcy has been filed against Louis Danishefsky, dealer in furniture, 102 Delancey Street, by these creditors: Isador B. Weisman, $600; I. Gelberg & Son, $33, and Morris Markowitz, $35. It was alleged that he is insolvent, made preferential payments of $1,000, and transferred merchandise and accounts amounting to $2,000. He began business in December, 1904.

NICHOLAS GEOFFROY.—Nicholas Geoffroy, manufacturing jeweler, 170 Broadway and 52 Park Place, who filed a petition in bankruptcy on Nov. 18 with liabilities of $128,258 and nominal assets of $137,616, has made a settlement with his creditors, and the bankruptcy petition has been dismissed. To merchandise creditors he pays 50 cents on the dollar in notes due Aug. 1, 1908; Feb. 1, 1909; Aug. 1, 1909, and Feb. 1, 1910, and to money loan creditors he pays 25 cents on the dollar in notes due May 1 and Sept. 1, 1908.

JOSEPH D. FOWLER.—Schedules in bankruptcy of Joseph D. Fowler, carpenter, 76 West Houston Street, show liabilities of $46,216, and nominal assets of $30,923, consisting of materials, $100; machinery, $500; accounts, $323, and real estate at 76 West Houston Street, $30,000, mortgaged for $24,600. Among the creditors are George Lowther, Jr., and Christopher Lowther, as trustees of Margaretha M. Paul, $21,000, secured by mortgage; Eliza Upham, $2,300; Harry Van Vorst, $1,640; Charles A. Lock, $3,000; Ned Beattie, $1,317, and Richardson & Dutt, $1,077.

J. E. MUNCH & CO., INCORPORATED.—Judge Dowling of the Supreme Court has appointed William Herrick receiver for J. E. Munch & Co., Incorporated, manufacturers of silk and textile fabrics, 159 Greene Street, with a bond of $6,000, in a suit brought by the Directors of the corporation for its voluntary dissolution. Mr. Herrick is Vice President and Treasurer of the corporation; also the largest stockholder and a creditor for $5,040. William L. Voigt, President, is a creditor for $1,674. The liabilities are $10,554, and the assets $5,209. The corporation was incorporated Dec. 19, 1906, with a capital stock of $50,000.

C. CARLISI COMPANY.—A petition in bankruptcy has been filed against the C. Carlisi Company, wholesale and retail dealer in wines and groceries, 63 Carmine Street, by these creditors: Ernesto Bucchi, $315; Cesare Conti, $201, and Florio & Co., $65. It was alleged that the company is insolvent, and has made preferential payments. The company was incorporated on Feb. 1, 1907, with a capital stock of $10,000. Judge Hough appointed Albert Falck receiver, with a bond of $500. It was stated that the store has been abandoned; that none of the officers has been there for a week. The assets left are estimated at $500.

A. B. WOODWARD COMPANY.—A petition in bankruptcy has been filed against the A. B. Woodward Company, printer, 22 Thames Street, by these creditors: West Virginia Pulp and Paper Company, $7,000; Stephen A. Powell, $800, and Orlando B. Hastings, $450, all for paper. It was alleged that the company is insolvent, and admitted in writing its inability to pay its debts. Judge Hough appointed William Henkel, Jr., receiver, with a bond of $2,000, and authorized him to continue the business for ten days, as there are uncompleted contracts for $1,500 on hand. The assets are estimated at $5,000 in plant and accounts. The company was incorporated Sept. 20, 1905, with a capital stock of $25,000, and Arthur B. Woodward was President and Treasurer. The company's statement of Jan. 1 showed liabilities of $20,404, and assets of $32,742. A meeting of creditors was held a few days ago, and a committee was appointed to examine the affairs of the company.

Judgments.

The following judgments were filed yesterday, the first name being that of the debtor:

Aronov, M.—D. Saffir et al., $218.
Balian, G.—R. Birano, $67.
Bunnell, L.—L. Karasik, costs, $27.
Bauernschmidt, Ella and Garrett—M. M. Hayward, $209.
Bishop, W.—Andrew Cone General Advertising Co., $217.
Bernstein, M. (not summoned)—N. Laehr, $272.
Brooks, M.—N. Lyons, $175.
Same—Same, $280.
Bornstein, L.—Griffin Roofing Co., $280.
Bohaty, A.—Bronx Investment Co., $463.
Brooks, M.—I. Pomeranz, $582.
Booker, A.—R. Johnson, $39.
Borgan, G.—F. Westheimer et al., $79.
Berry, C. S.—H. Harris, $47.
Colby, C. B. (not summoned)—Broderick & Bascom Rope Co., $246.
Carter, J.—A. McMullan et al., costs, $108.
Dixon, W.—Sonn Brothers Co., $161.
Eisen, Jennie—H. Koehler & Co., $182.
Eisen, M.—Same, $429.
Ferrara, S.—H. Koehler & Co., $386.
Fuchs, D. and A. (not summoned)—N. Laehr, $272.
Fogler, H.—R. Friedlander, costs, $110.
Same—S. Kohn et al., costs, $118.
Farrell, P.—Hollywood Co., $93.
Gledman, F. X.—A. T. W. Pilgrim et al., $841.
Fistel, M. (not summoned) and Louis—N. Y. Telephone Co., $26.
Fench, G. H.—Harriet E. S. French, costs, $47.
Goldwasser, M.—W. Kreisberg, $10.
Geller, A.—N. Lyons, $280.
Same—I. Pomeranz, $582.
Guidone, C.—W. W. Smith, $158.
Goldstein, H.—D. Schneider, costs, $32.
Gaskins, J. W.—L. Iversen, $104.
Greenberg, E.—H. C. Miner Lithographing Co., $194.
Harrison, F. H.—H. W. Fishel et al., $280.
Hyman, A. (not summoned)—N. Y. Telephone Co., $35.
Horowitz, S.—E. M. Pilzer, $74.
Haber, A.—L. Spanier, $36.
Ireland, J. de Courcey—Le Huray & Co., $94.
Kirk, L. G.—C. Bjorkeryear, costs, $93.
Kohn, N.—S. Potstein et al., costs, $163.
Klein, I.—J. E. Bates et al., $273.
Kegel, J.—L. Schnurmacher, $40.
Keeler, F. H.—Le Huray & Co., $94.
Larkin, J.—J. O'Toole, costs, $69.
Liebling, J.—H. Weil, $655.
Lanati, V.—Italian-Swiss Colony, $519.
Lankisky, F.—A. Ratkowsky, $46.
Linsemaier, A.—G. F. Ruchner, $121.
Livingston, E. and S. J.—H. J. Maris, $43.
Lynch, L. G.—N. Folgerman et al., $264.
Miller, E., Jr.—H. C. Strobel et al., $464.
Manahan, J. A.—C. W. Schiereck, $167.
Marchione, A.—E. Bloch & Co., $90.
Muir, Elizabeth M. F.—I. E. Raymond, $217.
Monahan, J. E.—Bliven & Carrington, $334.
Same—Same, $321.
Miller, H., (not summoned)—N. Y. Telephone Co., $35.
McCarthy, M., (not summoned,) and J. H.—J. O. Leffler et al., $388.
Manevetz, S.—Brooklyn Heights R. R. Co., costs, $114.
Medzigian, Dikran & Martin—F. McCoy et al., $112.
McManus, D. C.—Sarah Marcus, $2,545.
McCarthy, E. and T.—Kerin & Dunn, $439.
Nochinson, A. B.—N. Y. Tel. Co., $35.
Norris, Geo. C.—Lord & Taylor, $29.
Olwell, Michael F.—N. Y. Tel. Co., $30.
Pelham, E. T.—Edwin W. Emery, $78.
Philips, Margaret—Anna E. Ziegler, $103.
Paul, Edw. A.—Solomon Scholem, $49.
Pickles, F. H.—Broderick & Bascom Rope Co., $246.
Price, Jos.—Met. Life Ins. Co., $474.
Quigley, Wm. F.—N. Y. Tel. Co., $25.
Rutz, A.—A. T. W. Pilgrim et al., $341.
Rosenthal, Samuel, Simon M., and Harrish—Adolf Stern, $577.
Rosenthal, Morris—J. J. Robbins et al., $151.
Rosen, Henry—David Schneider, costs, $32.
Ryan, John—Eugene Brucker, $5,643.
Stange, Louis—John Wigmann, $84.
Sachs, Isidore—Adolph Terker, $89.
Sozio, Antonio, Silvestio, and Alfonzo—Rudolph J. Zatzkin, $159.
Stewart, James C.—Oriental Bank, $9,055.
Stoff, Harry M.—Leon H. Sonn et al., $275.
Smith, Jas.—Eugene Brucker, $5,643.
Saunders, Sidley—H. H. Arthur et al., $49.
Thompson, Albert—Roebling Construction Co., costs, $108.
Tilman, E.—People's Bank of City of N. Y., $1,721.
Tuttle, Elbert V.—Ridley's, $34.
Vidaver, M. — Powers-Weightman-Rosengarten Co., $49.
Same—D. Hoexter, $101.
Van Hoff, Loring—G. & J. Tire Co., $84.
Van Brunt, W. T.—Oriental Bank, $9,055.
Woodworth, J. V.—E. S. Baum, $224.
Ward, Isabella A.—Margaret A. Redington, $128.
Welch, Ben or Benjamin—L. L. Weber et al., $1,223.
Wahle, C. G. F.—Brooks Bros., $417.
Wasserman, R.—Western Electric Co., costs, $147.
Ward, H. M.—N. Y. Tel. Co., $66.
Wasserman, H.—N. Laehr, $272.
White, A.—Russian Symphony Society of N. Y., $494.
Bloomingdale Leasing Co.—Wheeling Corrugating Co., $1,241.
Oppenheim Realty Co.—P. H. Reilly et al., $31.
N. Y. Central & Hudson R. R. R. Co.—Estelle Beyer, $5,157.
American Soda Fountain Co.—F. G. Carrie et al., costs, $79.
B. & B. Co.—Anna M. Hugo, $1,100.
N. Y. City Ry. Co.—Julia Fey, $779.
Edward Ney Co.—R. Loseck, $1,219.
N. Y. City Ry. Co.—F. La Drew, $200.
The Pain Pyrotechnic Co.—J. E. Bard, $422.
The Onward Construction Co.—Margaret P. Humphrey, $256.
The L. I. R. R. Co.—Nellie Healy, $13,255.
N. Y. City Ry. Co.—Anna Kleinberg, $150.
Same—S. Perlmutter, $1,250.
Aldhous Construction Co.—H. W. Bell, $107.
United Provision Co.—F. Aul, $71.
N. Y. City Ry. Co.—W. J. Boyd, $750.
Same—Carrie Schwab, $834.
American Skylight and Iron Works—T. W. Morris et al., $1,094.
Same—Same, $1,347.
Manhasset Point Co.—F. W. Wright, costs, $29.

Lawyer John Goode of the Nineteenth Ward Bank Building notifies THE TIMES that yesterday's record of a judgment against David H. Hyman in favor of E. Levi and others for $61.37 is incorrect. The judgment, he says, should appear in favor of D. H. Hyman against Edward Levi and others.

Satisfied Judgments.

The first name is that of the debtor, the second that of the creditor, and the date that when judgment was filed:

Meyer, E.—Merchants' National Bank of Newark, Feb. 19, 1908, (canceled,) $1,046.
American Diamond Rock Drill Co.—W. G. Urguhart et al., April 15, 1908, $581.
Cuban Production Co.—J. F. Rodriques, June 18, 1907, $258.
Same—Same, Feb. 13, 1908, $101.
Macksoud, J. and E.—R. J. Peterson, Nov. 27, 1905, $69.
McDonnell, J. W.—I. S. Vought et al., May 10, 1907, $141.
Mastracchio, A., Carmine Altieri, and Paola Silvestri—Casson Electrical Contracting Co., March 13, 1908, $674.
Pocher, M.—I. Baer, Nov. 20, 1907, $239.

Arrival of Buyers

Buyers may register in this column by telephoning 1000 Bryant.

Born, C. M., Pittsburg, Penn.; piece goods; Hotel Navarre.
Brown, Thompson & Co., Hartford, Conn.; F. W. Pass, millinery, ribbons, and laces; 2 Walker Street; Hotel Cadillac.
Alms & Doepke Company, Cincinnati, Ohio; A. W. Freiberg, woolens; Herald Square Hotel.
Field, Marshall, & Co., Chicago, Ill.; C. J. Wetz, jewelry and fans; 104 Worth Street; Hotel Imperial.
Tiftickjian Brothers, Buffalo, N. Y.; H. S. Tiftickjian, Oriental rugs; Prince George Hotel.
Sonneborn, H., & Co., Baltimore, Md.; S. B. Sonneborn, clothing; Hoffman House.
Brafman & Brothers, Baltimore, Md.; E. J. Brafman, clothing; Hoffman House.
Rice, Israel, Sons, Rochester, N. Y.; J. E. Rice, clothing; Hotel Victoria.
Bessers, Buffalo, N. Y.; O. E. Besser, notions; C. E. Klemmer, fancy goods; Hotel Marlborough.
Renwick Brothers & Co., Pittsburg, Penn.; A. W. Renwick, hats, flowers, and feathers; 626 Broadway; Hotel Grand.
Taylor, J., & Co., Allentown, Penn.; J. Taylor, carpets, notions, and furnishing goods; Hotel Martinique.
Hengerer, William, Company, Buffalo, N. Y.; E. A. Roberts, linens and white goods; 214 Church Street; Hotel Imperial.
Boston Store, Chicago, Ill.; H. H. Hart, clothing; 377 Broadway; Park Avenue Hotel.
Meyer, J., & Brothers, Chicago, Ill.; H. Meyer, hosiery and neckwear; Hotel Gregorian.
Rosenbaum Company, Pittsburg, Penn.; L. A. Behr, cloaks, suits, and waists; 31 Union Square.
Reeves-Luffman Company, Schenectady, N. Y.; H. E. Martineau, silks and dress goods; 32 White Street; Hotel Albert.
Clark, Davis & Poore Company, Columbus, Ohio; J. H. Davis, flowers and feathers; 621 Broadway; Hotel Grand.

Weekly Failure Report.

Bradstreet's reports 261 failures in the United States during the week, against 258 for the previous week and 167, 167, 183, and 199 for the corresponding weeks of 1907 to 1904. The Middle States had 96, New England 26, Southern 53, Western 34, Northwestern 15, and Far West, 37. Canada had 29, against 28 for the preceding week. About 81 per cent. of the total number of concerns failing had capital of $5,000 or less, and 13 per cent. had from $5,000 to $20,000 capital.

Guide for Buyers

Cards may be inserted here upon order through telephone 1000 Bryant.

ADVERTISING BRUSHES.
J. Dukas & Co., 335 B'way. Also Glide Buckles.
ADV. ELECTROTYPES AND CUTS.
Freud Engraving Co., 102 Fulton St.
ANTIQUE LAMPS.
The Antique Lamp Mfg. Co., 33 W. 125th St.
APRONS.
Kursheedt Apron Co., 605 B'way. Rompers.
ART LINENS, EMBROIDERY MATERIAL, NOVELTIES.
Bentley, Chas. E., Co., 583 Broadway.
AWNINGS, TENTS, AND FLAGS.
M. Magee & Son, 147 Fulton St.
BASKETS AND WILLOW WARE.
Chas. Zinn & Co., 130 Grand St.
BOYS' BLOUSES, WAISTS & SHIRTS
Edman Bros., 105 Franklin St. Est. 1880. Also Wash Suits and Knee Pants.
CARPETS, RUGS, AND OILCLOTHS.
Union Carpet Co., 221-223 Canal St.
CELLULOID GOODS.
Bloom & Mandell Co., 81 Walker St. Albums
CHILDREN'S DRESSES & ROMPERS
E. B. Kursheedt Apron Co., 605 Broadway.
CLOAKS AND SUITS.
Rothschild, L., 45 E. 8th St. Ladies' Silk Coats.
CORSETS.
Boston Hygienic Corset Co., 1 West 34th St.
COSTUMES & Shirt Waist Dresses.
J. Goldberg, 27 West 24th St.
EMBROIDERIES.
Leumann, Boesch & Weingart, 593 B'way.
FAVORS & TABLE DECORATIONS.
B. Shackman & Co., 812 Broadway.
FILTERS (WHOLESALE.)
Self-cleaning Stone Filters. Linke, 1,561 B'way
HOSIERY.
Boley, M., 506 B'way. Men's Hosiery Exclus'ly
Schiff, Henry, & Co., 890-92 B'way, cor. 19th
GLOVES—KID, FABRIC, & SILK.
Ferdinand Ehrlich & Sons, 518 Broadway.
KIMONOS, DRESSING SACQUES.
Nasrallah, S., 85 Washington St.
KNIT GOODS—COATS AND BL'SES.
Myres, Max M., 486 Broadway. Also Shawls.
KNIT GOODS—Knit Underwear.
American Hosiery Co., 108-110 Franklin St.
Samuels, I. A., & Co., 486 B'way. Mill Agts.
LADIES' DR'SES & SH'RTW'ST S'TS.
J. Glockner, 34-36 West Houston St.
NECKWEAR—Men's.
Berliner, Strauss & Meyer, 733, 735, 737 B'way.
SHIRT WAISTS & SUITS—LADIES'.
Atlantic Waist Co., 64-66 East 11th St.
SUITS, SKIRTS, & COVERT J'KETS.
Cohen & Pollack, 25 Wav'ly Pl. Suits $6.50 up to $15
WATER-PROOF TARPAULINS.
John Sullivan & Son, 356 Hudson St.

TO BEGIN REVIVAL HERE.

Messrs. Chapman and Alexander Will Participate in Tuesday's Opening Rally

Evangelists Chapman and Alexander, who have begun a world-wide revival campaign, will take part Tuesday evening next in the opening rally of the Evangelistic Committee of New York City, to be held in the Metropolitan Opera House.

Dr. Chapman was formerly pastor of one of the largest churches in New York. During the past four years he has devoted himself exclusively to the "Simultaneous Mission" work in American cities. Mr. Alexander has been popular with New Yorkers since the introduction of his Glory Song two years ago.

Robert Harkness will be the accompanist Tuesday evening, when Mr. Alexander will sing Harkness's new song, "He Will Hold Me Fast," a melody said to be as beautiful as the Glory Song or "The King's Business." A chorus of 800 young people will lead the singing. Ralph Connor, (the Rev. C. W. Gordon,) the author, is expected to speak, and Justice M. Linn Bruce will introduce Dr. Chapman.

FREIGHT BUSINESS BETTER.

New Haven's Receipts Have Begun to Increase—More Passengers Also.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., April 17.—Signs of a business revival have appeared on the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad in the last few days. The loss, both for freight and passengers, has been decreased nearly one-half.

The incoming of new orders just being filled accounts for the increased business.

Referee Named in 14th St. Bank Suit.

Eugene N. Robinson of 111 Broadway was appointed referee yesterday by Supreme Court Justice O'Gorman to take the testimony of officers of the Fourteenth Street Bank in an action brought by Lemuel Littlefield, who asserts that the terms of agreement for the merger of the Gansevoort and Fourteenth Street Banks have been violated.

CALENDAR FOR TO-DAY.

BOOKS CLOSE.
Distilling Co. of America preferred.
Finance Co. of Pennsylvania second preferred.
Mines Co. of America.
Missouri, Kansas & Texas Railroad preferred.

ANNUAL MEETING.
Phillipse Manor Co.

SPECIAL MEETING.
American Steel Foundries Co.

AUCTION SALES.

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HENRY A. HARTMAN, Auctioneer.

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Mrs. Leslie Carter

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SURROGATE NOTICES.

VAN VOLKENBURGH, ANN S.—In pursuance of an order of Hon. Charles H. Beckett, a Surrogate of the County of New York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against ANN S. VAN VOLKENBURGH, late of the County of New York, deceased, to present the same, with vouchers thereof, to the subscribers, at their place of transacting business, No. 299 Broadway, in the Borough of Manhattan, in the City of New York, on or before the 7th day of September next.

Dated New York, the 28th day of February, 1908.

EDWARD VAN VOLKENBURGH,
PHILIP VAN VOLKENBURGH,
Executors.

NILES & JOHNSON, No. 11 Wall Street, New York City; HORNBLOWER, MILLER & POTTER, No. 24 Broad Street, New York City, Attorneys for Executors.

BANKRUPTCY NOTICES.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR the Southern District of New York.—No. 10,377.—ADOLPH LASSMAN, Bankrupt.

Notice is hereby given that Adolph Lassman, bankrupt, has filed his petition, dated March 11th, 1908, praying for a discharge from all his debts in bankruptcy, and that all creditors and other persons are ordered to attend at the hearing upon said petition before United States District Judges in the United States Court House and Post Office Building, in the City and County of New York, on Monday, April 27th, 1908, at 10:30 A. M., and then and there show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of said petitioner should not be granted, and also attend the examination of the bankrupt thereon.

SEAMAN MILLER,
Referee in Bankruptcy.

New York, April 6th, 1908.

Church Services To-morrow

BAPTIST.

Amity Baptist Church, 312 West 54th St., Rev. Leighton Williams, D. D., Pastor.—11 A. M., "The Living Redeemer"; 8 P. M., "The Vision of the Risen Lord."

Central Baptist Church, 42d St., West of Broadway, Frank M. Goodchild, D. D., Pastor.—11 A. M., "The Eloquence of the Empty Grave"; 7:45 P. M., Sacred Cantata, "Death and Life." Lantern Lecture, "The Burial and Resurrection." Baptism.

At Fifth Avenue Baptist Church,
4 West 46th Street,
THE REV. CHARLES F. AKED, D. D.,
will preach to-morrow (Easter Sunday) morning: "DID NAPOLEON EVER LIVE?" A Study of the Evidence of the Resurrection of Christ.
Evening: "CHRIST'S WINNOWING FAN."
The ordinance of Believers' Baptism will be observed at the evening service.
Special musical service both morning & eve'g.
Services at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M.
Sunday School morning at 9:30.
YOUNG MEN'S AND YOUNG WOMEN'S CLASSES.

Madison Avenue Baptist Church, cor. 31st St.
Rev. Cornelius Woelfkin, D. D., Minister.
11 A. M.—"The Eternal Christ."
8 P. M.—"The Pathway to the Throne."
BIBLE SCHOOL, 9:45 A. M.
Everybody's Bible Class,
DR. WILBERT W. WHITE, Leader.
Subject: "Christianity Under Fire."
Strangers Cordially Invited.

Memorial Baptist, Washington Square.—EDWARD JUDSON, the Pastor, will preach; 11 A. M., "Handle Me," and 8 P. M., "Baptism an Easter Symbol."

Mount Morris Baptist Church,
FIFTH AVE., ABOVE 126TH ST.,
Rev. J. HERMAN RANDALL, D. D., Pastor.
Public Worship at 11 A. M. and 7:45 P. M.
Morning: "The Completed Life." Special Easter Music.
Evening: Special Easter Service, with Baptisms

The Washington Heights Baptist Church, Convent Av. and 145th St., Rev. Rufus P. Johnston, D. D., Pastor.—Public worship, 11 A. M. and 8 P. M.; Bible School, 10 A. M. Prayer meeting, Wednesday, 8 P. M. Cordial welcome to all.

CONGREGATIONAL.

Broadway Tabernacle,
Broadway and 56th Street.
11 A. M., Public Worship.
—SPECIAL MUSIC.—
The Pastor, Dr. JEFFERSON, will preach.
8 P. M., Special Musical Service.

Manhattan Congregational,
Broadway and 76th St.—11 A. M., 7:30 P. M.
Pastors: REV. HENRY A. STIMSON, D. D.,
REV. ARCHIBALD L. LOVE, D. D.
A. M., Dr. Stimson, "Many Shall Be Healed."
7:30 P. M., Children's Easter Concert.
A Cordial Welcome to You.

ETHICAL CULTURE.

Society for Ethical Culture, Carnegie Hall, 57th St., 7th Av.—11 A. M., DR. FELIX ADLER delivers an Easter Address entitled "THE JOY OF LIFE."

EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN.

Evangelical Lutheran Church of the Advent, Broadway and 93d St., Rev. William M. Horn.—Services, 11 A. M., 8 P. M.; Sunday School, 9:30 A. M.

Evangelical Lutheran Church of St. James, Madison Av. and 73d St., Dr. Remensnyder.—Services, 11 A. M., 8 P. M. Sunday school, 9:45 A. M.

JEWISH.

At Temple Beth-El, 5th Av. and 76th St., Dr. S. Schulman will preach on Sunday at 11 A. M.; subject—"Redemption and Resurrection." All are welcome.

At Temple Emanu-El, 5th Av. and 43d.—Sunday, 11:15, Dr. Silverman on "The Modern Resurrection." All welcome.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL.

Duane M. E. Church, Hudson, near Spring St., R. H. Travis, D. D., Pastor.—Services at 10:45 A. M., 7:45 P. M.

Grace Methodist Episcopal Church, West 104th St., near Columbus Av.—Sermons morning and evening.
"EASTER ASSURANCE. The Stone Rolled Away," by the Pastor, Charles Howland Cookman. Sunday School exercises, 2:45. Special music every service.

Jane St. M. E. Church, (Near 8th Av.) 11-8, Dr. Hermance. Special Easter music.

Madison Avenue Methodist Episcopal Church,
Corner 60th Street.
Rev. WALLACE MacMULLEN, D. D., Pastor.
Preaching by the Pastor at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M.
Morning Subject: "EASTER WITNESSES."
Evening Subject: "IS THERE LIFE EVERLASTING?"
Special Easter music at both services.

7th Ave., Metropolitan Temple, 14th St.
JOHN WESLEY HILL.
11—Easter Sermon, President Crawford, Allegheny College.
Special Music by large vested choir.
8 P. M.—Grant Anniversary; speakers, Secy. Taft, Andrew Carnegie, Leslie M. Shaw.

St. Andrew's M. E. Church,
76th St., West of Columbus Avenue.
GEORGE CLARKE PECK, D. D., Minister.
11 A. M.—Easter Sermon by Pastor.
8 P. M.—Sermon by the Minister.

St. Paul's Methodist Episcopal Church,
West End Avenue and 86th Street,
Rev. GEORGE P. ECKMAN, D. D., Pastor.
11 A. M.—Easter Sermon.
8 P. M.—Cantata, "Easter Eve and Morn," by Stevenson.

Union Methodist Episcopal Church, 48th St., West of Broadway, Rev. Dr. J. Lewis Hartsock, Minister.—11 A. M., "The Living Christ and the Empty Tomb"; 8 P. M., "Easter and the Higher Fruitions."

NEW CHURCH.

Church of the New Jerusalem,
Thirty-fifth Street, between Park and Lexington Avenues,
REV. JULIAN K. SMYTH, Pastor.
EASTER SERVICE, 11 A. M., including the Rite of Confirmation and sermon by the Pastor on "The Triumph of the Christ Life." The Holy Communion following the morning service.

PRESBYTERIAN.

Brick Church,
Fifth Avenue and Thirty-seventh Street.
Minister: Rev. William R. Richards, D. D.
Special EASTER MUSIC by full chorus, strings, harp, and organ.
Dr. Richards will preach at 11 and 4.
Rev. A. F. Schauffler, D. D., will preach at EVENING SERVICE at 8. SEATS FREE.
Instrumental Prelude at 10:30, 3:30, and 7:30.
Bible School and Classes, 9:45 A. M.
MEN'S CLASS taught by DR. FAGNANI.
Wednesday Service, 8 P. M.; Friday, 5 P. M.

Central Presbyterian Church,
West 57th St., between Broadway-7th Av.
Rev. WILTON MERLE SMITH, D. D., Pastor.
Dr. Smith preaches at 11 A. M. Easter. Music and a sermon by the Pastor.
8 P. M., preaching by the Rev. H. ROSWELL BATES.
Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor, Sunday morning at 9:45; Sunday School, 3 P. M. Devotional meeting Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock. All welcome.

Fifth Avenue Presbyterian Church,
Fifth Avenue and 55th Street.
Rev. J. Ross Stevenson, D. D.,
Rev. Edwin F. Hallenbeck, D. D., } Ministers.
Services 11 A. M., 4 P. M., 8 P. M.
Dr. Stevenson will preach in the morning.
Rev. Francis L. Patton, D. D., will preach in the afternoon, and
Dr. Hallenbeck will speak at the Special Evening Service.
Bible School, 9:30 A. M. Men's Bible Class, conducted by Dr. Hallenbeck, 10 A. M.
Wednesday Evening Service at 8:15.

Fourth Presbyterian Church,
West End Av. and 91st St.,
EDGAR WHITAKER WORK, D. D., Pastor.
11 A. M.—Easter Music and Sermon, "The Festival of Immortality."
8 P. M.—Easter Cantata, brief sermon, Shelley's "Life and Death."
Free pews at this sermon.

Madison Avenue Presbyterian Church,
Northeast corner 73d St. and Madison Av.,
Rev. HENRY SLOANE COFFIN, D. D., Pastor.
Public Worship, 11 A. M., 4 and 8 P. M.
The pastor will preach in the morning and evening.
Children's Carol Service at 4 o'clock.

Madison Square Presbyterian Church,
Madison Avenue and 24th Street,
Rev. C. H. Parkhurst, D. D., Pastor.
Rev. George R. Montgomery, Asst. Minister.
Sabbath services, 11 A. M. and 8 P. M.
The Pastor will preach morning and evening.
Special organ music on Easter Sunday for half an hour preceding each service.
Bible School with classes for children and adults, 10 and 11 A. M.

New York Presbyterian Church, 128th St. and 7th Av., D. J. McMillan, D. D., Pastor.—Services, 11 A. M. and 8 P. M.

North Presbyterian Church,
155th St., bet. Broadway and Amsterdam Av.
Rev. John R. Mackay, Ph. D., Pastor.
11 A. M.—"Light on the Problem of Sorrow."
8 P. M.—"Meaning of Easter."

Old First Presbyterian Church,
Fifth Avenue, Eleventh to Twelfth Street,
Rev. HOWARD DUFFIELD, D. D., Pastor.
Rev. James A. McCague, Assistant.
Services, 11 A. M. and 8 P. M.
Rev. Chas. R. Erdman, Prof. in Princeton Theological Seminary, will preach.

Park Presbyterian Church, 86th St., Amsterdam Av.—Preaching by Pastor, Rev. Dr. Anson P. Atterbury. 11 A. M., 8 P. M.

Rutgers Presbyterian Church,
BROADWAY AND 73D STREET,
Rev. ROBERT MACKENZIE, D. D., Minister.
Rev. Allen W. McCurdy, Assistant Minister.
Preaching at 11 by Dr. Mackenzie and at 8 by Mr. McCurdy.

St. Nicholas Av. Presbyterian Church, 141st St. and St. Nicholas Av., Rev. Thos. W. Smith, Pastor.—Services, 11 A. M. and 7:45 P. M. Wednesday, 8 P. M. All are welcome.

PRESBYTERIAN.

Special Sunday Evening Service,
8 P. M. April 19th,
Fifth Avenue Presbyterian Church,
5th Av. and 55th St.
Rev. Edwin F. Hallenbeck, D. D.,
will speak.
Topic: "How May the Human Heart Be Cleansed from Sin?"
Mr. R. E. Mitchell and Male Quartet will sing.
Strangers are cordially invited.

UNIVERSITY PLACE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, Cor. of 10th St., Rev. George Alexander, D. D., Pastor.—Public worship to-morrow at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M. At the morning service the pastor will preach. In the evening the Sunday School will hold an Easter service, to which all are invited. Wednesdal evening service at 8 o'clock.

West End Presbyterian Church,
Amsterdam Av. and 105th St.
Rev. A. EDWIN KEIGWIN, D. D., Pastor;
Rev. J. Garland Hamner, Jr., Assist. Pastor.
Dr. Keigwin will preach at 11 A. M. Subject: "The Unexpected Compensations of Bereavement." Evening: Musical Service. Mr. Hamner will preach in Upper Chapel at 11 A. M. Subject: "Power to Rise from the Dead." Double Quartette Choir.

West Presbyterian Church,
On 42d St., between 5th and 6th Avs.,
Rev. ANTHONY H. EVANS, D. D., Pastor,
preaches at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M.

West 23d St. Presbyterian Church, near 7th Av.—Rev. H. G. Mendenhall preaches at 11, Rev. J. Ross Stevenson, D. D., at 8:00.

PROTESTANT EPISCOPAL.

Calvary Church, 4th Av., 21st St.,
REV. J. LEWIS PARKS, RECTOR.
Holy Communion, 6.30, 8, 9:30 A. M.
11, Morning Prayer and Holy Communion. Preacher, the Rector.
ORCHESTRA, TRUMPETS, AND DRUMS.
Evening, 8, Musical Service.

Christ Church, Broadway, 71st St., Rev. George A. Strong, Rector.—Services, 7:30 and 11 A. M.; 4 P. M., Children's Festival; 8, Special Service; address by Bishop Potter.

Church of the Ascension,
FIFTH AVENUE AND TENTH STREET.
Rev. PERCY STICKNEY GRANT, Rector.
11 A. M.—Morning service and sermon, (rector.)
4 P. M.—Anthems, including "Messiah" selections.
Rev. Walter E. Clifton Smith will preach.
8 P. M.—Mr. Alexander Irvine will speak on "Can We Change Human Nature?"

Church of the Incarnation, Madison Av. and 35th St.—8 and 10 and 11 A. M., 4 P. M.

Church of the Resurrection,
115 East 74th St.,
Rev. Alfred Duane Pell, Rector.
Services, 11 A. M. and 8 P. M.
Excellent music. Strangers welcome.

Church of the Transfiguration, 1 E. 29.—Communions, 6, 7, 8, and 9; Weber's Mass and Sermon, 10:30; Choral Evensong, 4 o'clock.

Church of Zion and St. Timothy,
334 West 57th St.
Rector, Rev. Henry Lubeck, D. C. L.
Holy Communion .... 7 A. M.
Morning Prayer, Holy Communion..11 o'clock
Preacher, the Rector.
Children's Carol Service............ 4 P. M.

Eglise du Saint Esprit, 45 Est 27e Rue.—Services religieux le dimanche a 10h. ½ du matin et a 8h. du soir. Rev. A. Wittmeyer, Recteur.

At St. Andrew's, 5th Av., 127th St.,
Rev. Geo. R. Van De Water, Rector.
7 A. M.—Choral Celebration.
9:15 A. M.—Holy Communion.
11 A. M.—Communion Service by Mr. Edward I. Horsman, Jr., with full Choir and Orchestra, conducted by the composer, and Mr. C. Stewart Duncombe, Organist and Choirmaster of St. Andrew's. A children's Easter Service at 4 P. M. Children, never so little, welcome.

Saint Agnes' Chapel, Trinity Parish, West 92d St., near Columbus Av., the Rev. W. T. Manning, S. T. D., Vicar.—Services at 6:00, 7.30, 9:45, 11:00, 4:00, 8:00.

St. Bartholomew's Church,
Madison Avenue, corner 44th Street,
The Rev. Leighton Parks, D. D., Rector.
7:30 A. M.—Holy Communion, Bishop Greer officiating.
11 A. M.—Morning Prayer, Sermon, and Holy Communion. Preacher, the Rector.
4 P. M.—Evening Prayer and Address. Preacher, Rev. R. S. W. Wood.

At St. James's Church, Madison Av., 71st St.
Holy Communion, 7 and 8:30 A. M.
Morning Prayer, 10 A. M.
Holy Communion and Sermon, 11 A. M.
Preacher—BISHOP COURTNEY.
Evening Prayer and Children's Serv'ce, 4 P. M.

St. Mark's, 2d Av. and 10th St., Rev. Dr. L. W. Batten, Rector.—Holy Communion, 8 A. M.; Morning Prayer, Sermon, and Holy Communion, (with special Easter music,) 11 A. M. Children's Easter Festival, 8 P. M.

St. Peter's Church, 20th St., West of 8th Av., Rev. Olin S. Roche, Rector.—Services 7, 8, 11 A. M., 3 and 7:45 P. M. Enlarged chorus and orchestra.

FIRST REFORMED EPISCOPAL CHURCH,
Madison Av. and 55th St.
Easter Service April 19th, 11 A. M. The new pastor, Rev. Chas. S. Stevens, will speak on the subject: "Obedience to the Heavenly Vision."

REFORMED CHURCH.

Bloomingdale Church, Broadway and 106th St., Rev. Wm. C. Stinson, D. D., Minister.—11 A. M. and 8 P. M., Music and sermons appropriate for Easter.

Collegiate Reformed Church, Harlem, Rev. J. Elmendorf, D. D., Senior Pastor.
First Church, 121st St., near 3d Av., Pastor, Rev. Benj. E. Dickhaut. Easter Services, 11 A. M., 8 P. M., preaching by the pastor.
Lenox Av. Church, Cor. 123d St., Pastor, Rev. Edgar Tilton, Jr., D. D. Easter Services at 11 A. M., 3 P. M., 8 P. M., preaching by the pastor.

South Church,
Madison Av. and 38th St.,
Rev. THOMAS REED BRIDGES, D. D., Minister.
10 A. M., Children's Service.
11 A. M., Morning Worship and Sermon.
SPECIAL EASTER MUSIC.
8 P. M.—Easter Service for Sunday Schools.

The Middle Collegiate Church,
2d Av. and 7th St.,
Rev. JOHN G. FAGG, D. D., Minister, will preach at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M.

The Marble Collegiate Church,
5th Av. and 29th St.,
Rev. DAVID JAS. BURRELL, D. D., Minister, will preach at 11 A. M. and 8 P. M.
Morning: "A Day of Joyful Memories."
Evening: "Come Forth!"

The Collegiate Church of St. Nicholas,
5th Av. and 48th St.,
Rev. DONALD SAGE MACKAY, D.D., Minister
Morning service at 11 o'clock.
Rev. Arthur T. Pierson, D. D., will preach at 8 P. M. Subject: "The Resurrection, and the Disciples Questioning."

The West End Collegiate Church,
West End Av. and 77th St.
Rev. HENRY EVERTSON COBB, D.D., Minister will preach at 11 A. M.
Communion Service, 4 P. M.
Dr. Cobb's Bible Class for Men, 5 P. M.

Hamilton Grange Church, Convent Av. and West 149th St., Chalmers P. Dyke, Minister.—Services at 11 and 8. S. S., 9:30. Open pews.

34th St. Reformed Church, West of 8th Av., Rev. ROBERT W. COURTNEY, Pastor.—Services, 10:30 A. M. and 8 P. M.

REFORMED CATHOLIC.

Services in Christ's Mission, 331 West 57th St.—Afternoon, 3:30, Rev. James O'Connor's subject: "Christianity Not a Ceremonial Religion." All invited.

SOCIETY OF FRIENDS.

Religious Society of Friends.
Religious meetings, 11 A. M., at East 15th St. and Rutherfurd Place, Manhattan, and Schermerhorn St., near Boerum Place, Brooklyn.

Twentieth Street Friends' Meeting.—Meeting for worship, 11. Lindley M. Stevens expects to attend.

THEOSOPHICAL SOCIETY.

Theosophical Society, 244 Lenox Av.—Public lectures; Sunday, 8:15 P. M., "If a Man Die, Shall He Live Again?" Dr. E. B. Guild; next Tuesday evening, "Death and Resurrection."

UNITARIAN.

All Souls', (Unitarian,) 4th Av., 20th St.—Rev. THOMAS R. SLICER, pastor, will preach, AN EASTER SERMON. Special Easter Music. Services 11 A. M. All cordially invited.

Church of the Messiah,
(Unitarian,) 34th St., cor. Park Av.
Ministers: { REV. ROBERT COLLYER, Litt. D.
{ REV. JOHN HAYNES HOLMES.
Services at..................11 A. M.
Rev. John Haynes Holmes will preach.
A Special Easter Sermon. Subject: THE PROOF OF IMMORTALITY. Special Music.

At Lenox Avenue Unitarian Church,
Corner 121st Street. Services at 11.
The Gospel of Personality, (Easter Service.)
Rev. Merle St. Croix Wright, Minister.

UNIVERSALIST.

Church of the Divine Paternity,
Central Park West and 76th St.
The Pastor, Rev. FRANK OLIVER HALL, D. D., will preach at 11 A. M. Subject: "Assurance of Immortality," and at the 4:30 P. M. Vesper Service, subject, "The Open Mystery." Special programmes of Easter Music at both services. Quartet, chorus, organ, violin, and 'cello.

OTHER SERVICES.

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OTHER SERVICES.

Bowery Mission, 35 Bowery, near Canal St.,
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Gospel Tabernacle Church, 44th St. and 8th Av.—Sunday, April 19th 10:30 A. M. and 8 P. M., PHILLIP MAURO, Esq., will preach at both services.
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Liberty Congregation, 6th Av., (42d St.)—Sunday morning, John Russell Coryell, (Editor THE WIDE WAY;) subject—"Drive Out the Reds."

Madison C. Peters, Broadway and 72d St.—To-morrow, 11 o'clock, "Our Friends in Heaven—Shall We Know Them Again?"

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Easter Service in the morning at 11. Dr. Carter will preach. Subject, "An Easter Meditation."

Science of Being, 151 W. 70th. Sunday at 4, "Resurrection." Mrs. J. Verlage.

The New Thought Church, Carnegie Hall, 7th Av. Entrance.—Sunday service, 11 A. M., 8 P. M. JULIA SETON SEARS, M. D., Speaker.

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Miniature Almanac for To-day.

Sun rises..5:17 | Sun sets..6:42 | Moon rises..9:00

TIDES TO-DAY.

	High Water A.M.	High Water P.M.	Low Water A.M.	Low Water P.M.
Sandy Hook	9:12	9:37	3:12	....
Governors Island	9:25	9:55	3:40	....
Hell Gate	11:18	11:48	5:12	....

Arrived—Friday, April 17, 1908.

SS Kaiserin Auguste Victoria, Hamburg, April 8.
SS Moltke, Naples, April 1.
SS Mauretania, Liverpool, April 11.
SS Kherson, Libau, March 30.
SS Eva, Havana, April 11.
SS Akershaus, Cienfuegos, April 9.
SS Acre, Barbados, April 10.
SS City of Macon, Savannah, April 14.
SS Delaware, Philadelphia, April 16.
SS Chesapeake, Baltimore, April 16.
SS Apache, Jacksonville, April 14.
SS Lampassas, Galveston, April 11.
SS Monroe, Norfolk, April 16.

Outgoing Steamships.

SAIL TO-DAY.

	Mails close.	Vessels Sail.
New York, Southampton	6:30 A.M.	10:00 A.M.
Republic, Azores	10:00 A.M.	12:00 M.
Caronia, Liverpool	11:30 A.M.	3:00 P.M.
Asuncion Larrinaga, Argentina	5:30 A.M.	7:00 A.M.
Maracaibo, Curacao	8:30 A.M.	12:00 M.
San Juan, Mayaguez	9:00 A.M.	12:00 M.
Saratoga, Havana	10:00 A.M.	1:00 P.M.
Maracas, Grenada	10:00 A.M.	12:00 M.
Sarnia, Jamaica	11:00 A.M.	2:00 P.M.
Panama, Colon	12:30 P.M.	3:00 P.M.
Minnetonka, London	————	11:30 A.M.
Vaderland, Antwerp	————	11:00 A.M.
Koenigin Luise, Naples	————	11:00 A.M.
Furnessia, Glasgow	————	2:00 P.M.
Iroquois, Jacksonville	————	3:00 P.M.
City of Macon, Savannah	————	3:00 P.M.
Hugin, Campeche	————	3:00 P.M.
Denver, Galveston	————	12:00 M.

SAIL MONDAY.

Verdi, Argentina	1:30 A.M.	11:00 A.M.
Saramacca, Guiana	11:30 A.M.	1:00 P.M.
Jamestown, Norfolk	————	3:00 P.M.

SAIL TUESDAY.

Kron. Wilhelm, Bremen	6:30 A.M.	10:00 A.M.
Drumlaurig, Argentina	3:00 A.M.	6:00 A.M.
Apache, Jacksonville	————	3:00 P.M.
C. of Columbus, Sav'nah	————	3:00 P.M.

Supplementary mails are open on the piers of the American, English, French, and German transatlantic lines until within ten minutes of the hour of sailing.

Incoming Steamships.

DUE TO-DAY.

Teresa	Oran	Mar. 26
City of Everett	Shields	Mar. 24
Hugin	Tampico	April 4
St. Leonards	Antwerp	Mar. 29
Wells City	Swansea	Mar. 29
Manoa	Demerara	April 6
Sicilian Prince	Gibraltar	April 5
Avoca	Rotterdam	April 4
Merida	Vera Cruz	April 5
Floride	Havre	April 5
El Paso	Galveston	April 11
Cedric	Queenstown	April 10
P. Fred Hendrik	Haiti	April 11
Flandre	Ghent	Mar. 30
Atlanta	Greenock	April 1
Strathlyon	Glasgow	April 2
St. Louis	Cherbourg	April 11
Touraine	Havre	April 11
Trinidad	Bermuda	April 13
Idaho	Hull	April 5

DUE TO-MORROW.

Janeta	Barry	April 3
California	Glasgow	April 11
Maraval	Port Spain	April 11
Seminole	San Domingo	April 8
Ponce	Ponce	April 14
City of Columbus	Savannah	April 16

DUE MONDAY.

Oscar II	Christiansand	April 11
Caracas	San Juan	April 15
Dunblane	Leith	April 4
Sibiria	Kingston	April 15
Minnehaha	London	April 11
Zeeland	Dover	April 11
Nieuw Amsterdam	Boulogne	April 11

Reported by Wireless.

SS Cedric, incoming from Liverpool, was reported by Marconi wireless passed Nantucket at 7 P. M. yesterday; due at her pier about noon to-day.

SS California, incoming from Glasgow, was reported by Marconi wireless 1,107 miles east of Sandy Hook at 7:40 P. M. of the 16th; due at her pier about 4 P. M. Sunday.

SS St. Louis, incoming from Southampton, was reported by Marconi wireless 704 miles east of Sandy Hook at 8 A. M. yesterday; due at her pier about 8 A. M. Sunday.

SS Touraine, incoming from Havre, was reported by Marconi wireless 740 miles east of Sandy Hook at 12:30 P. M. yesterday; due at her pier about 8 A. M. Sunday.

SS St. Paul, outgoing, was reported by Marconi wireless 350 miles west of the Lizard at 7 P. M. yesterday; due at Plymouth about 4 P. M. to-day.

SS Potsdam, outgoing, was reported by Marconi wireless 150 miles southwest of Brow Head at 2:30 A. M. yesterday; due at Boulogne about 10 A. M. to-day.

From Foreign Ports

Arrived.

SS Patricia, at Hamburg, April 16.
SS Amerika, at Cherbourg, April 17.
SS Prinzess Irene, at Genoa, April 17.
SS Corsican Prince, at Rio Janeiro, April 15.
SS Napolitan Prince, at Naples, April 15.
SS Prinz Maurits, at Amsterdam, April 15.

Sailed.

SS Deutschland, from Southampton, April 17.
SS New York, from Cherbourg, April 17.
SS Arabic, from Queenstown, April 17.

Passed.

SS Georgic, New York for Liverpool, passed Brow Head.

Pacific Steamships.

Destination and Steamer.	Mails Close in New York.
Australia, (except West,) New Zealand, Samoan Islands, Fiji Islands, and New Caledonia, (via Vancouver and Victoria, B. C.)—Miowera	Apr. 19 6:00 P.M.
Hawaii, Japan, Korea, China, and Philippine Islands, (via San Francisco)—Hongkong Maru	Apr. 20 6:00 P.M.
Japan, Korea, China, and Philippine Islands, (via Seattle)—Iyo Maru	Apr. 23 6:00 P.M.
Hawaii, (via San Francisco)—Alameda	Apr. 27 6:00 P.M.
Hawaii, Guam, and Philippine Islands, (via San Francisco)—U. S. transport.	Apr. 30 6:00 P.M.
New Zealand, Australia, (except West,) Samoan Islands and New Caledonia, (via San Francisco)—Australian Mail Line	May 3 6:00 P.M.
Hawaii, Japan, Korea, China, and Philippine Islands, (via San Francisco)—Korea	May 4 6:00 P.M.
Japan, Korea, China, and Philippine Islands, (via Vancouver and Victoria, B. C.)—Empress of India	May 6 6:00 P.M.
Tahiti and Marquesas Islands, (via San Francisco)—Mariposa	May 17 6:00 P.M.

Postmaster Morgan announces that mails from China, Japan, Hawaii, and Philippine Islands of the following dates: Manila, March 18; Hongkong, March 20; Shanghai, March 23; Yokohama, March 31, and Honolulu, April 9, reached San Francisco per steamer Hongkong Maru, and were dispatched east at 6:20 P. M. April 16. Due in New York on the morning of Tuesday, April 21.

For Latest Shipping News See Page 1.

THE WEATHER

WASHINGTON, April 17.—There will be showers Saturday afternoon or night in the Middle Atlantic States and New England, and will probably continue Sunday. Elsewhere the weather will be generally fair Sunday except for possible showers in the Northwest.

Abnormally warm weather continues in the Northwest; it has become warmer through the Ohio Valley, but it is somewhat cooler in the South Atlantic States.

Winds along the New England coast will be fresh south to southwest; Middle Atlantic Coast, light to fresh south to southwest; South Atlantic Coast, light to fresh northeast to southeast.

Steamships departing Saturday for European ports will have fresh south to southwest winds, fair Saturday, probably showers Sunday.

FORECAST FOR TO-DAY AND SUNDAY.

Eastern New York—Showers Saturday afternoon or night, warmer. Sunday, showers; light to fresh south to southwest winds.

New Jersey and Eastern Pennsylvania—Showers Saturday afternoon or night, warmer. Sunday, showers, followed by clearing; light to fresh south winds.

New England—Increasing cloudiness and warmer Saturday. Sunday, showers; fresh south to southwest winds.

The temperature record for the twenty-four hours ended at midnight, taken from the thermometer at the local office of the United States Weather Bureau, is as follows:

	1907.	1908.		1907.	1908.
3 A. M.	39	37	4 P. M.	47	46
6 A. M.	37	34	6 P. M.	48	44
9 A. M.	41	38	9 P. M.	44	43
12 M.	45	44	12 P. M.	41	42

This thermometer is 108 feet above the street level. The average temperature yesterday was 40; for the corresponding date last year it was 42; average on the corresponding date for the last thirty-three years, 49.

The temperature at 8 A. M. yesterday was 36; at 8 P. M. it was 43. Maximum temperature, 47 degrees at 2:30 P. M.; minimum, 34 degrees at 6 A. M. Humidity, 76 per cent. at 8 A. M.; 70 per cent. at 8 P. M.

IN THE REAL ESTATE FIELD.

Builder Sells Apartment Houses on the Heights—Long Lease of Sixth Avenue Building—Bronx Block Front Sold—Other Dealings.

Louis H. Lowenstein has sold for Elias Gussaroff the Palisade View, a five-story apartment house, at 561 and 563 West 144th Street, adjoining the northeast corner of Broadway. Mr. Lowenstein was also the broker in the recently reported sale of 549 and 551 West 144th Street. The buyer of these properties gave in part payment to Mr. Gussaroff the three lots at the southeast corner of Wadsworth Avenue and 180th Street, upon which a six-story elevator apartment house will be erected.

Sixth Avenue Property Leased.

L. J. Phillips & Co. have leased for the estate of John O'Neill to Frazin & Oppenheim, for ten years and three months, the entire building 360 Sixth Avenue, east side, between Twenty-second and Twenty-third Streets.

Deal for Bronx Block Front.

Charles Flaum has sold for C. M. Silverman to a builder the block front on St. Mary's Street, between Cypress and Beekman Avenues, 189.4 by 100 by 120. The property is opposite St. Mary's Park.

Buyers for West Side Houses.

L. J. Phillips & Co. have sold for Leopold Weil 146 West Seventy-fifth Street, a four-story brownstone dwelling, on lot 20 by 102.2.

H. C. Senior & Co. have sold for Dr. Robert A. Carroll to Isaac Wolf the four-story brownstone dwelling 216 West Seventy-eighth Street, on lot 16.8 by 100.

Mary H. Clark has sold 133 West Ninety-fifth Street, a three-story dwelling, on lot 17 by 100.8.

East 50th Street Purchase.

James Kyle & Sons have sold for Henry Wallbott the five-story apartment house 152 East Fiftieth Street, on lot 20 by 100.

Frederick A. Burnham has sold 849 Lexington Avenue, a three-story dwelling, on lot 16.6 by 80, between Sixty-fourth and Sixty-fifth Streets.

To Remodel Cutting Residence.

Plans have been filed at the Building Department for enlarging and remodeling the five-story residence of R. Fulton Cutting at 22 East Sixty-seventh Street. The present front will be taken down and the dwelling extended out to the building line with a new façade of sculptured stone. The new ornamental entrance will have an exterior staircase of granite. The improvements will cost $40,000. Harry Allen Jacobs is the architect.

Madison Avenue Stores Leased.

Henry D. Winans & May have leased the following stores in The Southern, a new apartment house on the west side of Madison Avenue, from Sixty-first to Sixty-second Street: The ground floor store in 676 Madison Avenue to Van Horn & Co., druggists; the ground floor store in 682 Madison Avenue to L. P. Bryant, dyer and cleaner; the ground floor store in 684 and 686 Madison Avenue, southwest corner of Sixty-second Street, to Hanft Brothers, florists; the parlor floor store in 682 Madison Avenue to the J. R. Bremmer Company, decorators. The same brokers have also rented the store and basement of 1,651 Broadway, northwest corner of Fifty-first Street, to the Smith-Haines Company.

On Grove and Macdougal Streets.

Pepe Brothers & Gallo have sold for F. Gerbereux 114 Macdougal Street, a six-story tenement, on lot 25 by 100; also, for Ira K. Bennett, 36 Grove Street, a four-story dwelling, on lot 21 by 100, and for the Galland Realty Company 118 Christopher Street, a five-story tenement, on lot 26 by 87.

As a result of the recent death of James N. Wells, announcement is made by William J. Wells and James P. Eadie that they have formed a partnership for the continuation of the business of James N. Wells's Sons, at 191 Ninth Avenue. This business was established in 1819 by the grandfather of William J. Wells and the late James N. Wells.

Cherry Street Tenements in Trade.

Sarah Weinstein has sold 216 and 218 Cherry Street, two six-story tenements, with stores, on plot 62.8 by 163.11, to Isak Flam. In exchange Mr. Flam gives 171 to 177 Broome Street, southeast corner of Clinton Street, a six-story tenement, with stores, on plot 80 by 47 and irregular.

The Duross Company has leased the three-story dwelling 824 Greenwich Street, for John J. Danahar to Kate Moloney.

Builders Buy in the Bronx.

H. J. Radin of Jacob Leitner's office sold for a client to Leader & Bloom the plot, 50 by 109, on the east side of Washington Avenue, 110 feet south of 172d Street. The buyers will erect a six-story flat with stores on the property.

Charles Costar has sold for Domina Plaute two lots on the east side of Glebe Avenue, 250 feet north of Westchester Avenue, 50 by 139; also, two lots at the southeast corner of Lyon and Parker Avenues, 50 by 100; also, the lot, 25 by 100, on the east side of Parker Avenue, 100 feet south of Lyon Avenue. The purchaser of all these properties is Martin Pietscher, who will improve them immediately with two-family houses.

Frank Gass has sold for the McGown estate about three and one-half acres of ground on West Farms Road, between Zerega Avenue and Lyvere Place. Kearney's Hotel, opposite Bear Swamp Road, is on the property, together with several old frame dwellings.

Alfred Olenick has sold for G. Vannutelli the plot, 14 by 200 on 150th Street, 98 feet east of Mott Avenue, to Clara De Groot, who gives in exchange a farm in the town of Woodhull, Oneida County.

Results at Auction.

Yesterday's offerings in the Real Estate Salesroom, 14 and 16 Vesey Street, resulted as follows:

By Joseph P. Day.

Jennings St, 1,111 and 1,113, n s, 106.3 ft w of Wilkins Place, 75x100.2x70.1x100, two five-story brick tenements; foreclosure sale, to William H. Ehrlich, representing a party in interest, $44,967.

51st St, 87 West, n s, 341.5 ft e of 6th Av, 21.5x100.5, five-story stone-front dwelling; foreclosure sale, to John Brown, $81,650.

THE BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

List of Plans Filed for New Structures in Manhattan and Bronx.

Marble Hill Av, 97, for a three-story brick tenement, 21x56; J. M. Brown, owner; J. Brandt, architect; cost, $8,500.

172d St, e s, 273.6 ft s of Westchester Av, for four two-story brick dwellings, 20x52; Jacob Cohn, 179th St. and Berrian Av., owner; B. Ebling, architect; cost, $26,000.

Unionport Road, n w corner of Jackson Av, for a two-story brick dwelling, 20x52; Mrs. Rose Trainor of 109 Commonwealth Av, owner; B. Ebling, architect; cost, $6,500.

172d St, e s, 173.6 ft s of Westchester Av, for four two-story frame dwellings, 22x52; Jacob Cohn, 179th St and Berrian Av, owner; B. Ebling, architect; cost, $22,000.

Mayflower Av, w s, 325 ft n of Liberty Av, for a one-story frame dwelling, 14x20x32; P. Vercesse, premises, owner; William Kenny, architect; cost, $1,200.

Taylor St, n w corner of Gleason Av, for a three-story frame store and dwelling, 25x50; Mrs. Rose Malone, Buchanan Place and Aqueduct Av, owner; William Kenny, architect; cost, $600.

Alterations.

Items involving less than $5,000 omitted.

67th St, 22 East, to a five-story brick dwelling; R. F. Cutting, Madison Av and 67th St, owner; H. A. Jacobs, architect; cost, $40,000.

23d St, 150 East, to a three-story brick lofts and store; S. Frank of 144 East 24th St, owner; Bernstein & Bernstein, architects; cost, $6,000.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Friday, April 17.

BATHGATE AV, 1,870, e s, 72 ft n of 176th St, 27x90.6; Michael Redmond to Anna E. Assenbeck, (mtg $9,500,) $100.

BATHGATE AV, 1,872, e s, 26.11x90.6; Michael Redmond to Madeline Assenbeck, (mtg $9,500,) $100.

BATHGATE AV, 1,874, e s, 18.1x90.6; Michael Redmond to Andrew F. Assenbeck, (mtg $6,000,) $100.

BOWERY, 55, e s, 25.3x149.5; also Canal St, 132, s s, 23x75.1; William J. McCreery to the City of New York, quitclaim, $1.

BOWERY, 55, e s, 25.3x149.5; also Canal St, 132, s s, 23x75.1; Ethan S. Allen to the City of New York, quitclaim, $1.

BOWERY, 55, e s, 25.3x149.5; also Canal St, 132, s s, 23x75.1; Lucy Disbrow to the City of New York, quitclaim, $1.

BOWERY, 55, e s, 25.3x149.5; also Canal St, 132, s s, 23x75.1; Farmers' Loan and Trust Co. and others to the City of New York, quitclaim, $1.

ELLISON AV, w s, 225 ft s of Latting St, 50x100, Westchester; David G. Deigan, Jr., to Christopher Muller, (mtg $475,) $100.

GERARD AV, (closed,) e s, 40.1 ft n of 168th St, 96.8x irregular; City of New York to William W. Strouse, all title, $2,297.

JEROME AV, e s, 176.8 ft n of Burnside Av, 75.8x100.11; Nathaniel B. Ellis to Howard A. Raymond, (mtg $14,500,) $1.

JEROME AV, n e corner of 181st St, 120.9x100; Alfred Gutwillig to Hartford Realty Co., (mtg $20,000,) $100.

JEROME AV, s e corner of 183d St, 68x irregular; Jerome Av, e s, 157.4 ft s of Tremont Av, 75x100; Joseph Hamershlag to Hartford Realty Co., (mtg $19,250,) $100.

LOTS 29 and 30, Parcel 1, map of William B. Ogden at Highbridge; Oliver E. Saylor to Edward W. Perkins, (mtg $1,750,) $1.

MORRIS AV, 1,976; August Jacob to Katie R. Regal, (mtg $7,500,) $100.

ROBBINS AV, w s, 200 ft s of 149th St, 50x109; William H. Black, referee, to Julius Heiderman, $6,000.

SCHUYLER ST, w s, 250 ft n of Elliott Av, 25x104.10; Schuyler St, w s, 125 ft n of Elliott Av, 25x140; Freeman C. Doty to Patrick Gorman, $100.

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ST. NICHOLAS PLACE, w s, 164.4 ft n of 153d St, 60x104; Roger A. Pryor, referee, to Frederick N. DuBois, $15,000.

ST. NICHOLAS PLACE, e s, 150 ft n from centre line of 153d St, 75x100; Edward Browne, referee, to Frederick N. DuBois, $25,000.

VAN CORLEAR PLACE, n s, Lot 108, map of North Marble Hill; William N. Reed to Potter & Brother, $100.

WESTCHESTER AV, s w corner of Greene Av, 25x100; Sarah Nerenberg to Frederick J. Spieldt, (mtg $6,500,) $100.

WEST FARMS ROAD, s e s, at n e s of Freeman St, 164.11x irregular; William J. Bolger, referee, to Dora Greenberg, (mtg $8,000,) $500.

WEST FARMS ROAD, s e s, at n e s of Freeman St, 164.11x irregular; Dora Greenberg to Julie S. Gaddis, (mtg $8,000,) $100.

5TH AV, s w corner of 138th St, 99.11x120; Harry Tobenkin to Hanna Corn and another, $100.

5TH AV, 400, 27.7x120, 25-48 parts; Broadway, s e corner of 66th St, 139.1x88.7x120.2x122.7, 9-48 parts; Island Realty Co. to Harding Hartshorn, $100.

13TH AV, n e corner of 4th St, 105x114, Wakefield; Catherine Tilley to John J. O'Brien, ½ part, (mtg $500,) $1.

71ST ST, 236 and 238 East, s s, 40x100.4; Joseph I. Teichman and another, executors, to Barbara Wachtel, (mtg $18,000,) $27,750.

71ST ST, 185 East, 16.10x102.2; Lorin S. Bernheimer to Abraham Bernheimer, $1.

84TH ST, 155 East, n s, 21.1x102.2; Arnold Davidson to Lulu Banford, (mtg $15,000,) $100.

114TH ST, 350 East, s s, 25x100.10; Charles Greenberg to the Mishkind-Feinberg Realty Co., $1.

119TH ST, s s, 50 ft e of Amsterdam Av, 225x irregular; Marcus L. Osk and another to Sidney Hersch, $1.

130TH ST, 260 West, s s, 16x99.11; Moser Arndtstein to Asher Miller, (mtg $10,000,) $100.

130TH ST, 222 West, 17.6x99.11; Francis J. Markham to James J. De Coursey, (mtg $10,000,) $100.

147TH ST, 529 East, 24.10x100; Louisa Schlicht to Michael Lang, (mtg $13,000,) $100.

183D ST, s s, 25 ft w of Hughes Av, 25x75; Magdalena Marx to Thomas P. Howley, $1.

184TH ST, n s, 200 ft e of 11th Av, 90x99.11; Joseph Zelenko to Westchester Realty Co., (mtg $12,500,) $100.

152D ST, n s, 100 ft w of Courtlandt Av, 50x100; Philip Emrich to Minnie E. Barrett, $1.

Recorded Mortgages.

Interest is at 5% unless otherwise specified.

ASSENBECK, Anna E., to Michael Redmond; Bathgate Av, e s, 72 ft n of 176th St, 27x90.6, 2½ years, 6% ... $6,500

ASSENBECK, Madeline, to Michael Redmond; Bathgate Av, e s, 99 ft n of 176th St, 26.11x90.6, 2½ years, 6% ... $6,500

BRUCCOLLI, Matteo, to Antonio Loscalzo; ¼ of Lot 256, map of Wakefield, 3 years, 5½% ... $4,000

CHEBRA AHAWATH ABRAHAM BENAI Kola to Lambert Suydam, Jr.; Avenue D, 48, 5 years ... $10,500

COHEN, Sarah, to Belmont Realty and Construction Co.; Lot 119, map of Samuel Ryer homestead; Belmont Av, w s, 429.11 ft n of 181st St, 13.10x83.1, bond ... $4,000

FINK, Anna R., to Title Guarantee and Trust Co.; Broome St, 404, bond ... $8,000

FLACHBART, Mary, to Henry F. Holtorf; Eagle Av, e s, 262.9 ft n of Westchester Av, 16.8x115, due Aug. 1, 1910, 6% ... $500

GORMAN, Patrick, to Freeman C. Doty; Schuyler St, w s, 250 ft n of Elliott Av, 25x104.10; Schuyler St, e s, 125 ft n of Elliott Av, 25x140, bond ... $500

GREENE, Betty, to Seamen's Bank for Savings; 91st St, n s, 106.1 ft e of Madison Av, 32.9x100.8, 3 years ... $40,000

HALBACH, Josephine, to Rebecca Knight; Cherry St, n s, 119.10 ft e of Clinton St, 27x98.7, sub mtg $15,000, due Jan. 10, 1913, 5½% ... $2,000

KAVANAGH, Thomas, to Emigrant Industrial Savings Bank; 87th St, 520 East, 3 years ... $6,000

LANG, Michael, to Louisa Schlicht; 147th St, 529 East, 2 years, 6% ... $3,000

MILLER, Asher, to Moser Arndtstein; 130th St, 260 West, sub mtg $10,000, 2 years, 6% ... $1,750

MULLER, Christian, to Charles J. Haussman; Ellison Av, 225 ft s of Latting St, 50x100, sub mtg $475, bond ... $325

NARDILLO, Sebastino, to Frederick Meyer; Rockfield St, n s, 350 ft e of Marion Av, 25x127.3, sub mtg $3,850, bond ... $1,400

NERENBERG, Sarah, to Mitchel Valentine; Westchester Av, s w corner of Green Av, 25x100, 3 years, 6% ... $6,500

OLTARSH, W. Hertz, to Charles L. Palmer; South St, n s, 50 ft w of Jackson St, 50x irregular, 3 years, 6% ... $3,000

PALMIERI, John, to Lawyers Title Insurance and Trust Co.; Oak St, s w corner of James St, 53.8x75.2, 5 years, 5½% ... $46,000

REGAL, Katie R., to August Jacob; Morris Av, 1,976, sub mtg $7,500, bond ... $3,750

ROMAN, Martha, to Laura Oestreicher; Bailey Av, e s, at c l of 230th St, 100.7x55.2, 2 years, 5½% ... $12,000

SANFORD, Samuel S., to U. S. Trust Co.; 52d St, 50 West, 3 years ... $45,000

SCHMITT, Charles J., to U. S. Trust Co.; 6th Av, 257, 5 years ... $60,000

SERRILLI, Pietro, to Frank Gass; Lot 21, map of new Village of Jerome, 25x100, 3 years, 6% ... $1,000

SERRILLI, Pietro, to Frank Gass; Lot 21, map of new Village of Jerome, 25x100, 1 year, 6% ... $400

SHEPHARD, George, to Broadway Savings Institution; 17th St, 321 West, 1 year ... $10,000

SPIELDT, Frederick J., to Sarah Nerenberg; Westchester Av, s w corner of Greene Av, 25x100, sub mtg $6,500, 3 years, 6% ... $2,500

THORNTON BROTHERS' CO. to Adolph Stahl; Findlay Av, s e corner of 169th St, 90x20, bond ... $6,500

WESTCHESTER AVENUE REALTY CO. to George S. Runk; 184th St, n s, 200 ft e of 11th Av, 90x99.11, 2 years, 6% ... $12,000

Mechanics' Liens.

BROOK AV, e s, whole front between 136th and 137th Sts, 200x100; John Carboy against Brook Construction Co., owner; Vincent & Michael Cirrito, contractors, $712.

73D ST, 129 East; United States Mortar Supply Co. against Charles Guggenheimer, owner; Mississippi Realty and Building Co., contractor, $183.

8TH ST, 405 East; Jennie Rubin against Samuel Wohlstader and Kalman Goldman, contractors and owners, $280.

AVENUE A, 248 and 250; Baruch Birulak against Harry Wasserman and Lena Welkowitz, owners and contractors, $209.

AUDUBON AV, s e corner of 166th St, 70.3x100x irregular; Anton Larsen against Cohen & Levy, owners and contractors, $60.

110TH ST, 229 to 233 West; Hyman & Brecker against Harry Lehr, owner and contractor, $252.

FORSYTH ST, 213 and 215; Benjamin Torgownick against Israel Goldfarb, owner and contractor, $53.

1ST AV, 2,247; Albert Ascher against Joseph Lorazlio, owner; P. Garofolo and J. Colombo, contractors, $122.

13TH ST, s s, 318.4 ft w of Avenue A, 160.8x125.4x160.8x103.3; Pardl & Zulla against Charles, Isidore, Walter, and Samuel Wanderman, owners and contractors, $1,030.

KAPPOCK ST, n s, 184.4 ft w of Independence Av, 599.5x irregular; Washington Heights Wall Paper Co. against Frank S. Beavis, owner; John J. McKelvey and Stephen B. Ayres, contractors, $565.

173D ST, s s, 25 ft w of St. Nicholas Av, 75x100; Vincent Valentine against A. B. Kight, owner and contractor, $278.

42D ST, 47 West; John Gray against John Doe, owner; Gignaro & Everall, contractors, $41.

MADISON AV, 763; John Bell Co. against Jeanette Busse and Bertha Ullman, owners; Morgen & Wilson, contractors, $204.

13TH ST, 410 to 426 East; Solomon Frank and others against Wanderman Construction Co., owner; S. Wanderman & Sons, contractors, $1,400.

Satisfied Mechanics' Liens.

74TH ST, 19 West; Griffin Roofing Co. against David T. Kennedy, Sept. 13, 1907, $70.

178TH ST, n s, 100 ft w of Audubon Av, 125x100; J. Johnson against Louis Cohen, April 19, 1907, (canceled,) $250.

CHARLTON ST, 108 and 110; John C. Orr Company against Charlton Contract Co., April 15, 1908, (by payment,) $1,043.

37TH ST, 428 West; Dey Architectural Iron Works against Elizabeth Grossman, April 13, 1908, $62.

RIVERSIDE DRIVE, s e corner of 137th St; Anton Larson against Noel Realty and Construction Co. and others, Jan. 23, 1907, $222.

RIVERSIDE DRIVE, n e corner of 95th St; Herman Miller against George W. Levy Building Co., Oct. 19, 1907, $1,013.

Lis Pendens.

64TH ST, 302 East; Kalt Lumber Co. against Peter Curran and others, (action to foreclose mechanics' lien;) attorneys, Phillips & Avery.

STUYVESANT ST, s s, 103.6 ft w of 10th St, 50x55.2x52.1x70; Otto Gerdau against Isaac Polstein and others, (foreclosure of mortgage;) attorneys, Hoadly, Lauterbach & Johnson.

STANTON ST, 116; Charles Bloom and others against David Goldberg, (action to foreclose mechanics' lien;) attorneys, Hillquit & Hillquit.

CRESTON AV, e s, 98 ft s of 183d St, 89.6x100; Eureka Realty Co. against Hillside Realty and Construction Co. and others, (foreclosure of mortgage;) attorney, L. E. Brown.

9TH ST, 713 and 715 East; Louis Halms against Samuel Weinstock and others, (foreclosure of mortgage;) attorneys, Morrison & Schiff.

182D ST, s s, 84.8 ft e of Washington Av, 18x72.11x irregular; 182d St, s s, 120.3 ft e of Washington Av, 18x65.4x irregular; two actions; Eureka Realty Co. against Hillside Realty and Construction Co. and others, (foreclosure of two mortgages;) attorney, L. E. Brown.

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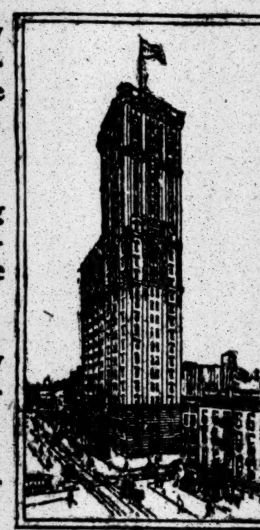

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SUMMONSES.

SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF NEW York.—UNITED STATES TRUST COMPANY OF NEW YORK, plaintiff, against PETER HERTER, Julius Landauer, Maurice Kalm, Alexander Spiro, Mary Spiro, wife of said Alexander Spiro, if any such there be, the name "Mary" being fictitious, her first or Christian name being unknown to plaintiff; Harris Solomon, Henry Arnstein, Breslauer Realty Company, Standard Elevator Company, Henry W. McMann, George W. K. Taylor, Michael Burns, Benjamin S. Moss and Moses K. Moss, composing the firm of Benjamin S. Moss & Company; Samuel Kottler and Reuben Schulman, composing the firm of Kottler & Schulman; Greif Clothing Company, and World Shirt Waist Company, defendants.—Summons. Trial desired in the County of New York.

To the above-named defendants and each of them:

You are hereby summoned to answer the complaint in this action and to serve a copy of your answer on the plaintiff's attorneys within twenty days after the service of this summons, exclusive of the day of service, and in case of your failure to appear or answer judgment will be taken against you by default for the relief demanded in the complaint.

Dated October 16, 1907.

STEWART & SHEARER, Plaintiff's Attorneys. Office and Post Office address, No. 45 Wall Street, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, N. Y.

To the above-named defendants, Alexander Spiro and Mary Spiro, wife of said Alexander Spiro, if any such there be, the name "Mary" being fictitious, her first or Christian name being unknown to plaintiff:

The foregoing summons is served upon you by publication, pursuant to an order of the Honorable James A. O'Gorman, a Justice of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, dated April 2, 1908, and filed, with the complaint herein, in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York, at the County Court House, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

Dated April 3, 1908.

STEWART & SHEARER, Plaintiff's Attorneys. Office and Post Office address, No. 45 Wall Street, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, New York.

NEW YORK SUPREME COURT, COUNTY of New York.—ITALIAN SAVINGS BANK OF THE CITY OF NEW YORK, Plaintiff, against FRANK MEZGER, Vincent Bonagur, and Minnie Bonagur, his wife; Jesse Watson, as receiver of the assets of William T. Hookey, a bankrupt; Twenty-third Ward Bank, Francis E. Eckenroth, Henry C. Eckenroth, John Rizzi, and David W. Rockmore, Defendants.—Summons.

To the above-named defendants: You are hereby summoned to answer the complaint in this action, and to serve a copy of your answer on the plaintiff's attorney within twenty days after the service of this summons, exclusive of the day of service; and in case of your failure to appear, or answer, judgment will be taken against you by default for the relief demanded in the complaint.

Dated New York, February 1, 1908.

JOHN ELTON WAYLAND, Plaintiff's Attorney.

Office and Post Office address, No. 258 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

To the defendant Frank Mezger: The foregoing summons is served upon you by publication pursuant to an order of the Hon. James A. O'Gorman, one of the Justices of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, dated the 26th day of March, 1908, and on the 27th day of March, 1908, filed with the complaint in the office of the Clerk of the County of New York at the County Court House in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, in said State. The complaint was originally filed in the office of said Clerk on the 15th day of February, 1908.

Dated March 27, 1908.

JOHN ELTON WAYLAND, Attorney for Plaintiff, 258 Broadway, Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

SUPREME COURT, NEW YORK COUNTY.—ANNIE F. WITZMAN, plaintiff, against JOHN K. WITZMAN, defendant.—Summons.—Action for absolute divorce.

To the above-named defendant:

You are hereby summoned to answer the complaint in this action, and to serve a copy of your answer on the plaintiff's attorney within twenty days after the service of this summons, exclusive of the day of service, and in case of your failure to appear or answer judgment will be taken against you by default for the relief demanded in the complaint.

Dated March 20th, 1908.

ALFRED B. JAWOROWER, Plaintiff's Attorney.

Office and Post Office address, No. 119 Nassau Street, Manhattan Borough, New York City.

To the above-named defendant:

The foregoing summons is served on you by publication, pursuant to an order made by the Hon. James A. O'Gorman, a Justice of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, dated March 27, 1908, and filed with the complaint in the office of the County Clerk of New York County.

Dated March 27th, 1908.

ALFRED B. JAWOROWER, Attorney for Plaintiff, No. 119 Nassau Street, Manhattan Borough, New York City.

LEGAL SALES.

RECEIVER'S SALE.—All the personal property of OSCAR WILLIGEROD, at No. 105 Hudson Street, Newark, N. J., consisting of six hat forming machines, five fur blowers, two fur mixers, two bailing presses, one lathe, one drill press, one centrifugal machine, sixty-four sets of copper combs, one watchman's clock, and other miscellaneous personal property used in the hat forming business, and the good will of his business, will be sold by the receiver. Sealed bids will be received at his office, 238 Washington Street, Newark, N. J., which must be accompanied by 20% of bid in certified check. All bids will be opened April 23, 1908, two P. M., at said No. 105 Hudson Street; if not thus sold, the same will be offered at public auction at said premises on the same day at two-thirty P. M.

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FARLEE, MARY E.—In pursuance of an order of Hon. Abner C. Thomas, a Surrogate of the County of New York, notice is hereby given to all persons having claims against MARY E. FARLEE, late of the County of New York, deceased, to present the same, with vouchers thereof, to the subscriber at his place of transacting business, at No. 20 Nassau Street, in the Borough of Manhattan, the City of New York, on or before the first day of June next.—Dated New York, the 23d day of November, 1907. WM. S. OPDYKE, Executor. OPDYKE, LADD & BRISTOW, Attorneys for Executor, 20 Nassau Street, New York, N. Y.

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PUBLIC NOTICES.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO the owner or owners of all houses and lots, improved or unimproved lands affected thereby, that the following proposed assessments have been completed and are lodged in the office of the Board of Assessors for examination by all persons interested, viz.:

Borough of Manhattan.

List 9,426, No. 1. Alteration and improvement to sewer in Thirty-ninth Street, between the Hudson River and Eleventh Avenue, and new outlet under pier at the foot of East Thirty-ninth Street.

Borough of The Bronx.

List 9,544, No. 2. Regulating, grading, curbing, flagging, laying crosswalks, building approaches, and placing fences in East One Hundred and Seventy-eighth Street, from Crotona Avenue to Southern Boulevard.

List 9,665, No. 3. Paving with sheet asphalt and curbing Elsmere Place, between Prospect Avenue and Marmion Avenue.

List 9,682, No. 4. Sewer in Bathgate Avenue, from East One Hundred and Eighty-eighth Street to Pelham Avenue, with necessary outlets or branches.

List 9,687, No. 5. Sewer in Teller Avenue, between East One Hundred and Seventieth Street and the summit southerly therefrom.

List 9,731, No. 6. Repairing the east sidewalk of Franklin Avenue, from a point 160 feet north of Third Avenue to 270 feet north of Third Avenue, and placing guard rail and flagging where necessary.

List 9,732, No. 7. Repairing sidewalk on the north side of One Hundred and Thirty-fifth Street, from a point 95 feet east of Cypress Avenue; on Cypress Avenue, between One Hundred and Thirty-fifth and One Hundred and Thirty-sixth Streets, and on One Hundred and Thirty-sixth Street for 95 feet east of Cypress Avenue, and placing guard rail where necessary.

List 9,733, No. 8. Repairing sidewalk on south side of East One Hundred and Forty-ninth Street, from Tinton Avenue to Union Avenue; on the east side of Tinton Avenue, from East One Hundred and Forty-ninth Street to a point 175 feet southerly therefrom, and on the west side of Union Avenue, from East One Hundred and Forty-ninth Street to a point 100 feet southerly, and placing guard rail, filling, and flagging where necessary.

List 9,734, No. 9. Repairing sidewalk on west side of Pond Place, from the intersection of One Hundred and Ninety-seventh Street to a point 50 feet north and erecting fence on northwest corner of One Hundred and Ninety-seventh Street and Pond Place.

List 9,735, No. 10. Repairing sidewalk and placing guard rail on west side of Third Avenue, about 230 feet north of East One Hundred and Seventy-second Street, and filling where necessary.

Borough of Queens.

List 9,472, No. 11. Regulating, grading, curbing, flagging, and laying crosswalks on Jamaica Avenue, between Steinway Avenue and intersection of Newtown Road and Thirteenth Avenue, First Ward.

List 9,492, No. 12. Regulating, grading, curbing, flagging, and laying crosswalks in Fifteenth Avenue, from Vanderventer Avenue to Flushing Avenue, First Ward.

List 9,534, No. 13. Grading, flagging, and curbing Taylor Street from Van Alst Avenue to Hopkins Avenue, First Ward.

List 9,549, No. 14. Grading, paving with asphalt, and curbing Eighth Street, from Jackson Avenue to East Avenue, First Ward.

All persons whose interests are affected by the above-named proposed assessments and who are opposed to the same, or either of them, are requested to present their objections, in writing, to the Secretary of the Board of Assessors, No. 320 Broadway, New York, on or before May 19, 1908, at 11 A. M., at which time and place the said objections will be heard and testimony received in reference thereto.

For full particulars see City Record.

ANTONIO ZUCCA,
PAUL WEIMANN,
JAMES H. KENNEDY,
Board of Assessors.

WILLIAM H. JASPER, Secretary, No. 320 Broadway.

City of New York, Borough of Manhattan, April 16, 1908.

PURSUANT TO STATUTORY REQUIREMENT, notice is hereby given that an act, Assembly No. 1163, Int. No. 973, has been passed by both branches of the Legislature, entitled

AN ACT
TO AMEND THE GREATER NEW YORK CHARTER, IN RELATION TO LIFE INSURANCE FUND FOR FIREMEN.

Further notice is hereby given that a Public Hearing upon such bill will be held at the Mayor's Office in the City Hall in the City of New York, on Monday, April 20, 1908, at 11:30 o'clock A. M.

Dated City Hall, New York, April 16, 1908.

GEORGE B. McCLELLAN, Mayor.

This bill will be the fourth heard at that time.

PURSUANT TO STATUTORY REQUIREMENT, notice is hereby given that an act, Assembly No. 1789, Int. No. 430, has been passed by both branches of the Legislature, entitled

AN ACT
TO AMEND THE GREATER NEW YORK CHARTER, GENERALLY.

Further notice is hereby given that a Public Hearing upon such bill will be held at the Mayor's Office in the City Hall in the City of New York, on Monday, April 20, 1908, at 11:30 o'clock A. M.

Dated City Hall, New York, April 15, 1908.

GEORGE B. McCLELLAN, Mayor.

This bill will be the third heard at that time.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES. Sealed estimates will be received by the Commissioner of Docks at Pier A, Battery Place, until 12 o'clock noon Thursday, May 7, 1908, for building new ferry house at the Manhattan terminal of the Staten Island Ferry. (1099.)

Sealed estimates will also be received at the same place for supplying materials under contract until 12 o'clock noon on the dates specified below in each case:

Oils, &c., (1119,) April 30, 1908.
Ice, (1120,) April 30, 1908.
Piles, (1123,) May 1, 1908.
For particulars see City Record.

ATTENTION IS CALLED TO THE ADVERTISEMENT in The City Record of April 10 to 24, 1908, of the confirmation by the Board of Revision of Assessments, and the entering in the Bureau for the Collection of Assessments and Arrears, of assessments for LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS in the BOROUGH OF QUEENS:

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HERMAN A. METZ, Comptroller.

City of New York, April 9, 1908.

DEPARTMENT OF BRIDGES, Nos. 13 to 21 Park Row, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York.

SEALED BIDS OR ESTIMATES will be received by the Commissioner of Bridges at the above office until 2 o'clock P. M. on

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For completing the abandoned contract for the construction of the Madison Avenue Temporary Bridge over the Harlem River.

For full particulars see City Record.

JAMES W. STEVENSON, Commissioner of Bridges.

Dated April 8, 1908.

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES. Sealed estimates for repairing ferryboats and other floating ferry property (Contract 1,113) will be received by the Commissioner of Docks at Pier A, Battery Place, until 12 o'clock noon, Tuesday, April 28, 1908. (For particulars see City Record.)

DEPARTMENT OF DOCKS AND FERRIES. Sealed estimates for furnishing Broken Stone (Contract 1,116) will be received by the Commissioner of Docks at Pier A, Battery Place, until 12 o'clock noon, Thursday, April 23, 1908. (For particulars see City Record.)

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Dated New York, April 2d, 1908.

BAYARD L. PECK, Assignee of James V. Geraghty.

BURKE & FAY, Attorneys for Assignee, No. 44 Pine Street, Borough of Manhattan, New York City.

Notice to the creditors and all persons interested in the Tradesmen's Life Insurance Company of New York, New York County:

Take notice that a full and accurate account of all the proceedings of the Receiver of the above-named corporation on oath will be presented to the Supreme Court of the State of New York at a Special Term, Part I. thereof, to be held in the County Court House, in the Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, on the 5th day of May, 1908, at 10:30 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, or as soon thereafter as counsel can be heard, and a motion will then and there be made that the same be allowed and decreed to be final and conclusive upon all creditors of said corporation and upon persons who may have claims against it upon any open or subsisting engagement and upon all stockholders of said corporation and that said Receiver be discharged and his bonds vacated.

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SHEPARD & HOUGHTON, Attorneys for Receiver, Office and Post Office Address: 111 Broadway, Manhattan, New York City.

BANKRUPTCY SALES.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT, SOUTHern District of New York.—In the matter of FREDERICK BENNETT, doing business under the style of "THE STAR CAFE," Bankrupt.—Take notice that the personal property of the above-named bankrupt is offered for sale. The same consists of the bars, mirrors, tables, chairs, and other fixtures, utensils, stock, &c., situate at the cafe at premises Number 3 West 22d Street and 172 Fifth Avenue, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York; also all the right, title, and interest of the receiver in and to the good will of said cafe and the lease thereof, for an unexpired period of about five years, which lease and the terms thereof can be examined at the office of the receiver. ... property may be inspected any week day between the hours of 9 A. M. and 6 P. M. at said cafe. Bids for the entire of said property and assets, including said lease and good will of said business, will be received by the receiver at his office, No. 68 William Street, Borough of Manhattan, City of New York, up to and including April 24th, 1908, at twelve noon, when all bids will be opened. All bids must be accompanied by cash or certified check to the extent of ten per cent. of the amount of bid. The receiver reserves the right to reject any and all bids. Should the receiver reject all bids, the said assets of the bankrupt herein will then be sold at public auction by Charles Shongood, official auctioneer, on April 25, 1908, at 10:30 A. M., at the premises of said bankrupt, No. 3 West 22d Street, in said Borough and City. For further information concerning said property and sale, apply to WILLIAM HAUPT, Receiver, No. 68 William Street, Manhattan Borough, New York City, or HERMAN GETTNER, Attorney for Receiver, No. 320 Broadway, Manhattan Borough, New York City.

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT, SOUTHern District of New York.—In Bankruptcy.—In the matter of BERL SILBERGLEIT, Bankrupt.—No. 10,289.

To the creditors of the above-named bankrupt:

Notice is hereby given that personal property belonging to the estate of the above-named bankrupt will be sold under the direction of Anselm Frankenthaler, Trustee, at public auction, by Charles Shongood, United States Auctioneer, at 113 Leonard Street, New York City, on the 28th day of April, 1908, at 10:30 o'clock in the forenoon. A general description of the property to be sold is as follows:

Outstanding book accounts in business of peddlers' supplies.

The Trustee reserves the right to withdraw any of the said property from sale unless it shall bring at least seventy-five per centum of the appraised value.

A list of the accounts may be inspected at the office of the attorneys for the Trustee, Oppenheimer & Schreier, 170 Broadway, New York, on April 23d and 24th, 1908, between 10 A. M. and 3 P. M.

Dated New York, April 14, 1908.

SEAMAN MILLER, Referee in Bankruptcy.

OPPENHEIMER & SCHREIER, Attorneys for Trustee, 170 Broadway, New York.

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SMALL WANTS.

LOST AND FOUND.

15c. a line; 3t., 36c.; 7t., 70c.; 7 words to line.

LOST—On Sixth Av. car at 34th St., a small brown pocketbook, containing gold chain necklace, 2 small keys, receipt for $5, and change. Suitable reward for return of same to C. Arona, 526 8th Av., (Music Store.)

LOST—April 17, from Madison and 89th to Lexington and 74th, on Madison Av. car, small open-face gold watch, initials "E. S."; suitable reward. Please return to Schwartz, 1,239 Madison Av.

LOST—Friday morning, a watch fob, made of black silk ribbon with heavy gold monogram attached, initials "L. M"; reward. L. M., Box 80 Times, Times Square.

LOST—In neighborhood of East 23d St. ferry, diamond ring with two red stones; liberal reward. J. K., machine shop, 519 East 18th St.

LOST—Black moray belt, oval etched gold-plated buckle, Amsterdam Av., 83d and 122d Sts.; reward. F. J. Mara, 101 West 83d St.

LOST—Gold cigar cutter, studded with three diamonds, engraved "W. E. A." Finder will be rewarded at 23 Greene St.

LOST—Gold cigar cutter, studded with three diamonds, engraved "W. E. H." Finder will be rewarded at 23 Greene St.

LOST—Extra automobile seat, between Wanamaker's and Sixth Av. Finder return same to 1,595 Broadway. Knox Co.

$200 REWARD for 2 rings, one containing large diamond surrounded by 18 small diamonds and 18 oblong rubies; other containing pear-shape canary diamond with small diamond at top and 10 small diamonds in shank, lost April 16, at Plaza Hotel. Tiffany & Co., Fifth Av. and 37th St.

$25.00 REWARD for horseshoe brooch of 33 pearls, lost April 13, between Millbank Av. and Charles Mead's Beach, Greenwich, Conn. Tiffany & Co., 5th Av. and 37th St.

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FOUND.

FOUND, April 17 Pennsylvania R. R., Jersey City. **On Trains**—Pillow, 5 umbrellas, eyeglasses, book, package letters, 2 nightshirts, doll, spoon, wash bag, eyeglasses, fieldglass case, slippers, suitcase and contents, cigar case and eyeglass case, lady's comb, tooth powder, tooth brush, 3 memorandum books, coat, and 3 packages. **On Lehigh Valley R. R. Trains**—Umbrella.

FOUND, April 16—Interborough Rapid Transit Company, 39 Greenwich St.: **On Second Av. Elevated**—Spectacles, child's clothing, glass jar, collar box, tin can. **On Third Av. Elevated**—Book, gloves, odd gloves, purse, veil, pad, cardcase, dry goods, sheet, fur neckpiece, 2 drills, tobacco, glass jars. **On Sixth Av. Elevated**—Glove, 2 gloves, hat, dentist tool, tobacco pouch, 2 keys, belt, shawl, papers, photographs, purse, emblem, 2 spectacles, satchel, books. **On Ninth Av. Elevated**—Satchel, umbrella, prayerbook, gloves, keys, collars, overalls, vest, copper. **In Subway**—Pipe, square, signs, coat, 2 suitcases, eyeglasses, 3 purses, book, roll music, beads, case, veil.

FOUND, April 15—Brooklyn Rapid Transit Company, 168 Montague St., Brooklyn: **On Elevated Trains**—Paper and envelopes, gloves, bag, stockings, suitcase, photo, ventilator, book, horseshoe, boa, trousers, music roll, pocketbook, umbrellas. **On Surface Lines**—Waist, papers, overalls, grip, cleaver, hardware, satchel, demijohn, suitcase, book, shawl, photos, beads, memo. book, pocketbook, umbrellas.

FOUND, April 17—New England Navigation Company. Apply office Commissary, foot Warren St.: **Fall River Line, S. S. Puritan**—Sponge bag, pocketbook, lady's hat, slippers, 2 nightshirts, cap, nightdress, slippers, umbrella, pipe. **Norwich Line, S. S. Chapin**—Hand mirror, hatpin.

FOUND, April 16—N. Y. C. & H. R. R. R. and N. Y., N. H. & H. R. R., Grand Central Station: Two pairs gloves, eyeglasses, hatpin, 2 packages, 2 umbrellas, handbag, gloves, veil, tobacco pouch.

FOUND, April 16—D., L. & W. R. R., Hoboken, N. J.: Seven umbrellas, coat, mandolin, 2 large pans, envelope, book, bag.

FOUND, April 16—Jersey Central R. R., Jersey City: **On Ferries**—Gloves, medicine, hat, **On Trains**—Bundle, umbrella.

FOUND, April 15—Maine S. S. Co. Apply pier 20 E. R.: **S. S. Tennessee**—Pair spectacles, sandal, rubbers.

FOUND, April 17 Police Headquarters, 300 Mulberry St.: Metal fob, pair pliers.

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77TH ST., 111 WEST.—Summer rates; references.

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WANTED—Ladies with leisure time instructed in the art of selling real estate, making $50 weekly. Albert Edwards, 215 Montague St., Brooklyn.

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AGENTS.—High class men everywhere to solicit contracts for my new illuminating device in stores, restaurants, factories, and homes. Call afternoons and evenings, Charles M. Ripley, 29 West 42d St.

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ORGANIST.—Wanted college organist in Pennsylvania; salary and home. Webster's Choir Exchange, 136 5th Av.

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SALESMEN.—Wood, Harmon & Co. require the services of several experienced real estate salesmen; only those of good character need apply. A. S. French, sales manager, 315 Madison Av.

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TO WED ON FLOATING HOTEL.

Katherine Miller and William Young May Spend Honeymoon on Arbuckle Boat.

After Miss Katherine Miller of the "Hotel Stamler" and William Young are married in the hotel at 8 o'clock to-night the management may hoist anchor and send the establishment down the bay for a short honeymoon trip.

The wedding is to be held on board the Jacob Stamler, the Deep Sea Hotel, maintained by John Arbuckle, for young men and women who work for their livings and who want desirable quarters at reasonable rates. The boat is moored at the foot of Twenty-first Street, North River.

Never before has there been a wedding on board, and it was with some trepidation that Miss Miller, whose parents are dead, asked permission to celebrate her own wedding on board. Mr. Arbuckle consented willingly, and Miss Miller's friends on board began enthusiastically to make preparations for the event.

The Rev. Dr. Roach of St. Peter's Church will perform the ceremony, and after a reception in the Jacob Stamler's spacious cabins the young couple will start on a honeymoon trip to the New Jersey coast resorts, unless the management should really decide to send the "hotel" on a short trip.

Mrs. Helen Gunther Divorced.

Justice McCall signed an interlocutory decree of divorce yesterday in favor of Mrs. Helen Bloodgood Gunther against her husband, Charles Van Valkenburg Gunther. The couple were married in this city in 1900. Mrs. Gunther is a daughter of the late Dr. Eugene Garretson, and lives at 504 West 143d Street with her mother, Mrs. Lenore H. Garretson.

MRS. O'CONNOR FAINTS ON WITNESS STAND

Woman Accused with Husband of Running Fake Broker's Office Collapses in Court.

DETECTIVE PASSES THE LIE

Denies Lawyer's Statement That He Took Bribe from O'Connor—Attorney Miller's Overcoat Stolen—Trial Ends.

The taking of testimony in the trial of Thomas O'Connor and his wife, also known as Frances McLain, in the United States Circuit Court, for the fraudulent use of the mails, ended yesterday after Mrs. O'Connor, who occupied the witness stand for a large part of the day, had fainted once and fallen from the chair to the floor. Lawyer Hugh Gordon Miller for the defense and Assistant United States District Attorney Bird made their closing addresses, and this morning Judge Holt will charge the jury.

Before he announced himself through with the case Lawyer Miller got another chance at Detective Nelson, who with Detective McConville arrested the defendants. Prior to the trial Mr. Miller boasted that he would show that certain Headquarters detectives had "shaken down" prisoners, and a few days ago he tried to show that Nelson had received money from O'Connor, to whom Nelson testified the other day he had loaned $20 the first day he saw him and when he was a prisoner.

"Did your husband tell you that this detective, Mr. Nelson, had 'shaken him down' for large sums?" demanded the lawyer of Mrs. O'Connor.

"Yes, he often complained of it."

Nelson was recalled to the stand, and testified that he had taken no books from O'Connor's office, although he had taken some papers.

"Yes," shouted the lawyer, "and didn't you meet him at the entrance of Brooklyn Bridge and return those papers upon payment of $100 on last election night?"

"No, I didn't. That's a lie," shouted Nelson, growing red in the face. Mr. Miller walked slowly toward the detective and said: "Out of respect for the court I won't do what I ought to do to a man who says that to another."

It was Mr. Miller who once had a hand-to-hand altercation with Anthony Comstock in the latter's office.

Prior to the testifying of Nelson, Mrs. O'Connor had virtually told the story of her life under Mr. Miller's questioning. She asserted that she had never recommended any broker to clients except when the money invested was of such small amount that the account would not be accepted by the New York Stock and Consolidated Exchange houses. She declared that she was innocent of wrongdoing, and said that she made a legitimate living by the sale of market tips.

Three telegraph operators employed in Wall Street, among them William M. Gibson, who stated that he was the champion operator of the world, and had won the Carnegie Medal for being the most expert, testified that they had given tips to both defendants.

Mrs. O'Connor was testifying about the hiring of a Post Office box, in a voice which steadily grew more faltering and weaker, when she suddenly slipped forward in the witness chair and toppled senseless to the floor. She was revived in the Judge's private chambers. When she resumed testifying, Mr. Miller asked if she didn't feel that it was a reflection on her husband for him to travel downtown in company of Detective McConville when they were neighbors.

"No," replied the witness, faintly.

Mr. Miller made a rhetorical and fervid closing address to the jury, while Mr. Bird contented himself with a statement of the facts. As he was about to leave the court Mr. Miller found that his overcoat had disappeared.

"I am not surprised," he remarked. "The courtroom was full of Central Office detectives."

CALL FOR MORE FERRY TRIPS.

Service Board Orders Long Island Road to Answer New Demand.

Having tackled nearly every transit problem that affects the various portions of the city, the Public Service Commission yesterday started out to improve the ferry service. An order was issued, at the instigation of Commissioner Bassett, calling on the Long Island Railroad Company to show cause why its service from the foot of Thirty-fourth Street to Long Island City should not be increased about 50 per cent. in the rush hours and a lesser increase at other hours.

A public hearing will be held on April 29.

Many Bids for Bankers Convention.

The American Bankers' Association has received invitations from the banks and business organizations of Saratoga, N. Y.; Denver, Col.; and Hot Springs, Ark., to hold the next convention in one of these places. These invitations will be submitted to the Executive Council of the American Bankers' Association on May 4, and a decision will then be reached as to the time and place for the convention.

$8,000 for Husband a Car Killed.

A jury in the Supreme Court awarded $8,000 to Mrs. Magdalena Simon, a widow with two small children, against the New York City Railway Company for the loss of her husband, Frank Simon, who while driving a milk truck on Jan. 28, 1907, was run into by a car at Third Avenue and Fifteenth Street and killed.

Hallboy in War Time, Not a Hero.

James A. Baker, accused of having murdered a Postmaster in West Virginia on Dec. 29, and of having robbed thirty-one Post Offices in different parts of the country, issued a statement from the Tombs on Tuesday saying that he was a Boer war hero and a personal friend of Sir Hector McDonald. He was really a hall boy in a hotel at Columbus, Ohio, at the time of the Boer war.

Appraiser Wanmaker Takes Vacation.

George W. Wanmaker, Appraiser of the Port, left New York yesterday on the Mallory liner Rio Grande for a three-weeks' outing. Mr. Wanmaker sails directly to Mobile, Ala., and will spend all of his time in the South. He is accompanied by his daughter.

BROOKLYN NEWS NOTES.

Eller Elarson, 46 years old, of 578 Central Avenue, accidentally came in contact with the third rail of the Brighton Beach Railroad yesterday afternoon and was severely injured.

The local Magistrates have protested to Commissioner Bingham against the practice in vogue among the police of photographing a prisoner before he is arraigned in court.

County Judge Lewis Fawcett, who was operated on a week ago, is rapidly improving and was yesterday pronounced to be out of danger.

Lizzie Allen, 32, and Mary McLoughlin, 35, were held for further examination yesterday in the Adams Street Police Court on the charge of vagrancy. Detectives Callahan and Williams, who arrested the women, declare that they are homeless and have been sleeping in hallways and other places of shelter.

CITY BREVITIES.

The Trustees of the City College have issued invitations for the dedicatory exercises of the new buildings on St. Nicholas Terrace, on the morning of Thursday, May 14.

The Easter display of flowers in the Central Park conservatory at East 106th Street will be particularly attractive this year, Commissioner Smith announced yesterday. Extra preparations have been made to arrange a floral show that will surpass anything of its kind ever given in the Park.

YESTERDAY'S FIRES.

	Loss.
A. M.	
12:40—89 Thompson St.; Chas. Schleikl	$250
7:16—454 E. 150th St.; V. Hartman	Trifling
10:15—7 E. 114th St.; Samuel Lombard	$20
10:40—725 3d Av.; Maurice Frohman	$5,000
P. M.	
1:20—432 W. 55th St.; John Lothe	Trifling
2:15—247 E. 43d St.; Richard Goldberg	$200
2:30—In front of 265 Broadway; Met. St. Ry. Co.	Trifling
4:15—110th St. and Park Av.; New York Central & H. R. R. R. Co.	Trifling
4:40—191 Brown Place, the Bronx; Sarah Greenstein	Trifling
4:45—441 E. 81st St.; Frederick Grobler	$50
6:50—181 W. 63d St.; J. Hunt	$1
8:00—209 E. 95th St.; William Schner	$10
8:15—223 Canal St.; T. J. Collins Furniture Co.	Trifling
9:00—112 Canal St.; Louis Chadnik	$15
10:00—474 9th Av.; Grand Union Tea Co.	$25
10:00—19 Clinton St.; A. Schulof	$15
11:30—311 E. 40th St.; unknown	Trifling

SUBMARINE "YELLOW DOG."

Lilley Believes Electric Company's Books Will Show Fund Spent.

WASHINGTON, April 17.—Representative Lilley of Connecticut, under whose resolution a special committee of the House has been investigating the Electric Boat Company, reiterated his charges to-day before the committee that the company has made excessive profits on the contracts it has obtained from the United States Government.

Mr. Stevens devoted more than an hour to an earnest effort to have Mr. Lilley charge the Secretary of the Navy and his predecessors within the last six or seven years, the Chiefs of the navy bureaus, and naval officials generally in whose hands are the construction of vessels and the letting of warship contracts, with "gross ignorance, inefficiency, and incompetence," in that they were responsible for the awarding of contracts to the Electric Boat Company which netted that concern, as alleged, more than $1,000,000 of excessive profit at the Government's cost.

Mr. Lilley refused to father such a charge. He maintained that to the contrary, he believed these men were highly competent "in their line and so far as their information carried them," but he insisted that they were not good business men.

An attempt by Mr. Stevens to have Mr. Lilley testify that on the shoulders of the President should be placed the responsibility for the alleged incompetency of navy officials elicited the reply that the policy which has brought into office five Secretaries of the Navy in as many years is a poor policy.

Mr. Lilley assured the committee that no person connected with the Lake Company ever had the slightest intimation from him that he intended to introduce his resolution.

Regarding the production of the books of the Electric Company, Mr. Lilley said he thought they would show that a very large sum of money had been expended by this company—"some such fund as the 'Yellow Dog' fund developed during the insurance investigation in New York."

Mr. Lilley asserted that if the witnesses had been called in the order suggested by him they would not have had knowledge in advance of his information, and it might have been possible to bring out something from the officers of the Electric Boat Company.

LEAK IN VEIN KILLS A BABY.

First Case Ever Known Here of Rare Disease Discovered by a German.

Morbus Maculosis Werlhoffe, a disease discovered by Prof. Werlhoffe of Germany, caused the death in Harlem Hospital yesterday of eleven-months old Benjamin Costelnek, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Costelnek of 332 East 100th Street. It was the first case of the disease ever known in this city. Physicians in the hospital were puzzled for several days to diagnose the child's malady, and hardly believed at first that its trouble could be morbus maculosis, so rare is that disease.

The disease is the result of a leakage in a vein which permits the part of the body in which it occurs to be drained of blood. The skin becomes discolored and black. In the case of the Costelnek baby the child's parents feared that it was going to become black all over. They summoned Dr. Healy from the Harlem Hospital on Saturday for that reason, and with no idea that the baby was ill of an incurable disease.

The Harlem Hospital physicians believe that in the child's case the leak was in a vein in the right arm just below the elbow. An effort will be made to obtain the parents' consent to an autopsy.

UPHOLDS LIQUOR LICENSE.

Pastor Beattie Loses Fight Against Saloon Keeper Curnen.

A suit brought by the Rev. Lee W. Beattie, Superintendent of the Madison Square Church House, as a taxpayer, to have the liquor tax license held by Cornelius D. Curnen, proprietor of a saloon at the northwest corner of Ninth Avenue and Thirty-fourth Street, revoked, was dismissed yesterday by Supreme Court Justice Fitzgerald. This was the third time a similar suit had been brought against Curnen, all of which have ended in his favor.

The Rev. Mr. Beattie asserted that the license should be revoked because the saloon was within 200 feet of a place of worship, and on the further ground that two-thirds of the occupants of the adjoining dwelling houses had not consented to the granting of the license.

FRIARS DINE MR. WATTERSON.

"Marse Henry," Buffalo Bill, and Daniel Frohman Have a Jokefest.

The Friars gave a dinner last night in Kane's Chop House, Thirty-fifth Street, near Sixth Avenue, to "Marse Henry" Watterson. Nearly every well-known actor and manager now in New York was present. Wells Hawkes, Abbott of the Friars, presided. At the guest table were Daniel Frohman, Augustus Thomas, Col. William F. Cody, (Buffalo Bill,) William H. Crane, and James K. Hackett.

Col. Watterson and Col. Cody told of mutual experiences enjoyed in Paris and other cities abroad, and made mention of a certain Daniel Frohman, who had sometimes joined them.

In an answering speech Mr. Frohman said he had this correction to make: that the Daniel Frohman Col. Watterson and Col. Cody had known was not himself, but his grandfather.

Arrest Mrs. Ogden Goelet's Chauffeur.

Mrs. Ogden Goelet was on her way home last night when her automobile was halted by Bicycle Patrolman Madden in the South Drive of Central Park, opposite East Sixty-fifth Street, who arrested her chauffeur for speeding at the rate of twenty miles an hour. At the Arsenal Station the chauffeur said he was Jean B. Gulhemolnia of 354 West Fifty-fifth Street. Mrs. Goelet gave her residence at 608 Fifth Avenue as security for him.

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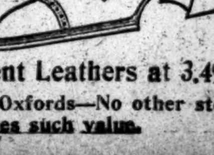

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TO-DAY AND THIS EVENING

This wonderful opportunity has been created by a chain of circumstances that no one could foretell. Owing to the change in ownership of the Stewart Building, which was supposed to take place this week, the Hope Clothing Company decided to retire from the building on April 30, and every preparation has been made to move to the new quarters secured by "Hope" some time ago; but a condition has arisen within the past week which has called a temporary halt. Whatever the outcome of the armistice may be, they are prepared to move on May 1, and will not be hampered by any more stock than can possibly be on hand. They will make a demonstration of Hope values not to be forgotten in a hurry. Whether Hope goes uptown or stays downtown, to-day's selling of stylish clothing of quality at TEN DOLLARS will become a standing advertisement in the families where these clothes will be seen on Easter Sunday and thereafter. An indication of the sensational offerings follow below:

Men's Top Coats.

The very latest 40 in. models, button through, paddock pockets, novelty cuffs, inlaid velvet collars; olive and gray; sold at other good clothiers at $18, $20 and even higher.

Also the new brown shadow stripe Top Coats, Covert and Box Coats in various fabrics; selling elsewhere at $15, $18 and upward. HOPE says:

$10.

Young Men's Suits.

Suits for young men, 17 to 50 years young. All the little "kinks" of the new Spring fashions and the new fabrics, in checks and over-plaids of tan, brown and slate. Some of the new Java shades in worsteds and tweeds. Suits that merchant tailors make at $25 and good clothiers sell at $16.50 to $20. HOPE says:

$10.

Spring Overcoats.

Rich Black Vicuna Thibets. Pure silk facings to the very edge. Body linings of imported silk finished Venetian. These high-class overgarments never sell at less than $20 in all good clothing stores, some get more. Other fine Spring Overcoats in Oxford, black and gray. HOPE says:

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Men's Spring Suits.

Conservative mixtures in neat worsteds, comprising grays, granites, browns, olives and russets, navy blue serges, black Thibets and unfinished worsteds. All of them in up-to-date sack suits for men of every build. Suits sold elsewhere for $15, many of them $18 and $20. HOPE says:

$10.

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BIJOU B'way & 30th. Tele. 1530 Mad.
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Next W'k—Victor Moore, The Talk of New York

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OTIS SKINNER
THE HONOR OF THE FAMILY by Paul M. Potter.

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CYRIL SCOTT in the de Mille play, THE ROYAL MOUNTED

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BLANEY'S MAT. TO-DAY. LINCOLN SQ. B'way, 66th St. EDNA MAY SPOONER UNCLE TOM'S CABIN.

GARDEN, Beg. MON., APR. 20. Seats on sale. EDWARD VROOM, The Luck of MacGregor

The New York Times.

SATURDAY REVIEW OF BOOKS.

LITERARY SECTION OF THE NEW YORK TIMES.

NEW YORK, SATURDAY, APRIL 18, 1908. 12 PAGES.

CEYLON.

By A. HUGH FISHER.

I HEAR a whisper in the heated air—
"Rest! Rest! Give over care!"
Long level breakers on the golden beach
Murmur in silver speech—
"Sleep in the palm-tree shadows on the shore—
Work, work no more!
Rest here and work no more."

Where half unburied cities of dead kings
Breed poisonous creeping things
I learn the poor mortality of man—
Seek vainly for some plan—
Know that great empires pass as I must pass
Like withered blades of grass—
Dead blades of Patna grass.

"Breathe—breathe the odorous sweetness that is ours,"
Cry Frangipani flowers.
"Forget! Forget! and know no more distress,
But languorous idleness;
Dream where dead leaves fall ever from green trees
To float on sapphire seas—
Dream! and be one with these."

—From Harper's Magazine for May.

TOPICS OF THE WEEK.

THE recent removal of Emmanuel Swedenborg's body from London to Stockholm, after 136 years, has led to a renewal of interest in the great Swede and his writings. Mr. John Whitehead contributes to The Transcript of Boston an interesting and authoritative account of Swedenborg's philosophical works and their influence. The movement to honor the memory of Swedenborg because of his scientific attainments began in Vienna, where in 1901 Dr. Max Neuburger delivered an address before the Assembly of German Naturalists and Physicians on "Swedenborg's References to the Physiology of the Brain." He declared that Swedenborg was scientifically far in advance of his age, and was the first to discover that "the cortical substance of the brain is the exclusive seat of the higher psychical activity, the point of attack for the soul." Dr. Neuburger afterward spoke to the same effect in Stockholm, where a committee was appointed to investigate the matter. The manuscripts of Swedenborg in the Stockholm Academy of Sciences have since been carefully examined. They cover many fields of scientific research. There are treatises, never published, on mathematics, chemistry, metallurgy, magnetism, ontology, geology, and apatomy. Mr. Whitehead says:

Swedenborg seemed to grasp the hidden causes of things. By his principles of vibration, degrees, series, and order he reduced the various domains of science into a unified whole. Moreover, he anticipated by a century some of the scientific discoveries of the nineteenth century, especially in the field of anatomy and physiology.

Under the direction of Prof. Gustav Retzius the publication of these works has begun. It contains the geological papers and some essays. The theory of vibration runs through all of Swedenborg's writings.

The third volume of Bielschowsky's "Life of Goethe," translated by William A. Cooper, (Putnam,) contains no formal summing up of the poet's achievements. The whole book must serve that purpose. But there is a brief, comprehensive estimate of his work in the closing chapter. Bielschowsky believes that Goethe created and assured for the German people "their position of spiritual power in the nineteenth century." He leads us back to Spinoza and forward to Darwin, and "in the realms of nature and history opens for us a view of the whole as well as of the origin and development of the parts." The idea of pure humanity hovers like a sun above all his achievement. We must not seek a systematic philosophy in his writings, however. The biographer makes the daring assertion that without Goethe the Germany of to-day would not exist. "Without Goethe, no Bismarck; without Goethe, no German Empire." He made the whole people feel spiritually one nation. But Prof. Bielschowsky does not claim his hero exclusively for Germany. He exists, beside Homer and Shakespeare, for the whole world.

Why should a novelist whose work has achieved popularity for its author change his methods and style of writing and venture into a new field of fiction? That such changes do frequently occur forms one of the interesting facts in many a literary biography, the "early," "middle," and "later" periods of more than one novelist furnishing an abundance of opportunity for contrast and learned disquisition to the painstaking critic. In the case of three of our well-known novelists this tendency to change is noticeable in books by them which their respective publishers announce will appear before the end of this month. Thus Mr. Robert Herrick, in his forthcoming book, leaves the special paths of realism which he has made familiar to his readers and tries his hand at a story of a purely idealistic character called "The Master of the Inn." Mr. Robert W. Chambers abandons the limitations set for himself in his last two novels, and gives a reminiscent flavor of the playful satire of his "Iole," with an added dash of exuberant imagination in "Some Ladies in Haste." Finally Mr. F. Marion Crawford, in "The Prima Donna," a sequel to "Fair Margaret," enters for the first time the field of "the international novel" with a dramatis personae large and diversified enough to give him quite the palm for bringing the greatest number of races together in one story.

The discovery that a manuscript of "Ouida's" has been reposing for a year or two in the pigeonhole of a London publishing house while its author was experiencing all the miseries of poverty and sickness emphasizes anew the variable fate attending the wares of the literary worker. Very recently one of the largest and oldest of our New York publishing houses instituted an inquiry into its assets in the shape of purchased manuscripts. More than 500 of the latter were routed out of their dusty hiding places and brought to the editorial judgment seat for final sentence. Not one, however, was found to be available for publication to-day, although their authors, among them such well-known names as Bayard Taylor, had received for these manuscripts the best of prices. But there they are, the unused literary accumulation of some forty or fifty years, representing an expenditure of thousands of dollars, but worthless now simply because the matters of which they treat are, like many of their authors, dead and forgotten. In the case of these manuscripts, however unprintable though they are to-day, the authors were at least paid for their work. But it is not stated in the cable whether or not "Ouida" was paid for her unpublished novel.

Admirers of Count Leo Tolstoy in England have formed an organization, composed of the leading literary people of Great Britain, for the purpose of celebrating the great Russian's eightieth birthday, which occurs in September of this year. It is hoped to make the anniversary an international affair, and to this end the "British Committee," and presumably similar committees in other countries, will co-operate with a central committee in Russia. Representatives of literature, social progress, and the learned societies from all parts of the world will be invited to unite for the occasion in St. Petersburg or Moscow and present to Count Tolstoy, as "the greatest representative of Russian literature and as a social reformer who has set a high ideal of life before the world," an international address by way of tribute. It has also been proposed as a more appropriate and practical testimonial in his honor to issue a cheap edition of Count Tolstoy's principal works in the leading languages of Europe. It is more than probable, judging by Tolstoy's popularity in this country, that these efforts on the part of his European admirers will meet with some form of co-operation here.

Not satisfied with his onslaught on Osierism in the current Century, Dr. W. A. N. Dorland again takes up the cudgels in an article which will appear in the May number of that magazine under the title "What the World Might Have Missed." In his first article, "The Age of Mental Virility," Dr. Dorland contended that the best intellectual effort was put forth after a man or a woman had attained the age of 40, a conclusion quite the reverse of that held by Dr. Osler. And now, in his second article, Dr. Dorland takes up his theory in detail and gives a summary of the actual brilliant work accomplished by many famous men and women after the fortieth milestone is passed in the world of literature, science, art, music, politics, and diplomacy. Altogether it is a rather unique showing, and should bring heart of grace to the middle-aged person who has hitherto, presumably, writhed in secret over the strictures of Dr. Osler.

In England certain critics are wondering whether the mixing up of the Druce case with Dickens's "Edwin Drood" was after all nothing more nor less than a new instance of the adroitness of the American "publicity agent" in utilising current news to boom a book. The success of this particular effort, it is said, is noticeable in quite a "little boom" in "Edwin Drood" that cannot be explained altogether by the fact that the hold of Dickens in America grows stronger every year.

THE CHATTERTON MYSTERY

Charles Edward Russell Writes First Real Biography of the Boy Poet—Truth Makes His Story Even More Marvelous.

A GENIUS UNJUSTLY ASPERSED.

His "Forgeries" Involved No Moral Turpitude; Other Charges Baseless.

MUCH has been written, of course, about Thomas Chatterton, and, presumably, much has been read. Yet curiously little information concerning either his life or his work is in the stock of knowledge possessed in common by really bookish folk, and even the students and judges of English poetry are rarely able, when questioned, to recall more than vague memories of a "marvelous boy" who was a "literary forger" and committed suicide while still in his teens. A special interest in Chatterton, joined to or creating a vehement admiration for his verses, has caused Charles Edward Russell, hitherto known to the public only as an exponent of radical, almost revolutionary, economics and sociology, to devote what might have been the leisure of fourteen years to a careful investigation of the boy's brief and most unhappy career. The results of this labor of love are now presented in a biography* of such remarkable merit, historical and critical, that it will instantly take a high place among the best productions of its class.

As a mystery, Chatterton ranks with, if not above, Shakespeare. It is not enough to say that in his lineage, in the environment of his childhood, in his education, there is not one hint as to why at the age of 10 he was writing poetry that commanded, or should have commanded, attention even though the poet's tender youth had not been taken into account, or why, a few years later, he was turning out in amazing quantities verse which the best scholars in England ascribed to the fifteenth century and saw no reason even for suspecting not to be the work of a scholarly monk. The probabilities were all the other way. The boy did, indeed, have access to a room in a church where some old documents from an ancient chest lay in neglect and ruin on the dusty floor. He was, however, the child of a seaport slum. His father had been a school teacher of a sort—of a drunken sort, as it happened—and died before the son's birth, leaving the mother to struggle with deepest poverty. A good woman, but neither intelligent nor literate, she rejoiced to secure for the little dreamer admission to a charity school, where he had to devote endless hours to acquiring enough of arithmetic and bookkeeping to become a shopman's assistant, and his only later training was in the office of a shabby scrivener, drawing papers for petty clients. Of beatings for "waste of time" he had many, but of appreciation and encouragement he never had a trace from anybody except such as came from a sinister surgeon who was writing an impossible history of Bristol and was willing to accept as "documents" anything the boy brought him.

That is about all there was to the so-called "forgery" of which so much—so nearly everything—has since been made. Mr. Russell tries, not quite successfully, to prove that what Chatterton did with the pretended Rowley poems was only what scores of reputable authors, including Scott and Stevenson—he might have added Kipling as a modern instance—have done in using verses of their own as nominally the work of others, but certainly Chatterton did little more or worse, as he profited not a penny by his "forgeries" and was only too glad to sell avowedly original poems and essays when the brief and scanty opportunity came. As Mr. Russell says, the Rowley trick, viewed in the gravest light, had about as much moral content as the robbing of an orchard, and the other accusations, of libertinage, political venality and the like, never had any foundation except, as Mr. Russell gives good ground for believing, in the mean spite of Horace Walpole, who thought he had to avenge the affront given by a letter which was saucy only as written to a great lord by a plebeian boy.

As a matter of fact, the Rowley poems would not have passed as ancient for a week if there had been in eighteenth-century England one scholar who knew the history of his own language a tenth part as well as many knew that of Greek and Latin. They had

*THOMAS CHATTERTON. The Marvelous Boy. The Story of a Strange Life. By Charles Edward Russell. Illustrated. New York: Moffat, Yard & Co. $2.50.

much of the spirit and something of the vocabulary of Edward's day, but they were obviously modern in elaborate metrical structure, and, as Mr. Russell says, should not have been, and now would not be, any more deceptive than a repeating rifle which somebody claimed to find among implements of the Stone Age. Mr. Russell is sure that, considered on their merits, they are great poems; certainly they are better than good, but it is hardly an exaggeration to say that nobody reads them now, and not a line from one of them has become a "familiar quotation," or seems likely to do so, and that makes against his pardonable enthusiasm.

Mr. Russell's passionate interest in Chatterton is possibly due less to the poems than to the fact that the boy joined himself by natural affinity and at the first chance with the radicals of his time, and eagerly lent his galloping pen to Wilkes and the others who were attacking caste and privilege. He only asked to write what he believed; as recompense he only demanded enough to buy the bare necessities of life. When a wave of reaction closed his one market he was left penniless and starving, and it took only a pitiful woman's offer of a dinner to drive him to death by poison in his garret. Mr. Russell describes the last scene in a few simple lines, bare of adjectives or appeal for sympathy, but they are marvelously effective.

One cannot but regret that Mr. Russell could not, or at least did not, devote a chapter to the pathological side of this strangest, saddest case in literary annals, and another to the language which Chatterton half recovered, half invented, in which to write the Rowley poems. These additions would have made the book perfect in its way and class—not a final judgment of the boy's standing among poets, of course, but a complete picture of the boy's life, painted with a beautiful gravity of tender appreciation, doing its largely successful best also to be just. One must turn many a page in many a book to find a finer, nobler, piece of writing than Mr. Russell's preface, and the book itself is in fitting sequence.

To mention trifles last, the book is admirably bound, printed, and illustrated—in dress as creditable to the publishers as in substance to the author.

AMONG THE CHICKASAWS.

IT is quite fitting that the Indian Territory should make her début in literature along with her entrance into Statehood. If there was any one corner of the Union left untouched by the novelist's pen it was the region of the Chickasaws and Choctaws. And that, too, now has its celebration along with its coming of age. It has been adequately done by Mary Holland Kinkaid, who in "The Man of Yesterday," (the Frederick A. Stokes Company, New York, $1.50,) has written a touching story of love and tragedy among the quarter-breeds, half-breeds, and full-bloods of the Chickasaw tribe and the white men and women who have gone among them. The time of the story is the latter part of the nineteenth century, while tribal organization still existed among them, and its scene is in and near their capital town. Its chief characters are men and women of mixed blood, substantial, well-to-do citizens, living in comfort, and possessing and prizing many of the refinements and luxuries of civilization. A young white man, there on temporary business, falls in love with and marries the handsome daughter of one of the wealthiest and most influential of the half-breeds. Business calls him away, and finally her family finds out that he does not intend to return. A kinsman of the young wife, who has himself always loved her, though hopelessly, stands up for the faithless husband and shoots him. Then, indicted for murder, he refuses to make any other plea than guilty and is executed by shooting. The book is an interesting portrayal of a sort of life that is unique among all the many and varied kinds of life to be found in this broad country. A constant distinguishing trait of her Indians, of all grades of color, is their pride in their Indian ancestry, and after that their pride in their civilization. But she makes them convincing. The descriptive parts are written with much poetic feeling, while throughout the author's manner is worthy of note for its dignity and simplicity.

Italian Importations.

Francesco Tocci of 520 Broadway, importer of Italian books, has recently received the following: Adolfo Padovan's "Il Pensiero degli altri," Carlo Placci's "In Automobile," Antonio Palmieri's "Le novelle maremmane," Pirandello Luigi's "L'esclusa" and "Gli inglesi nella vita moderna osservati da un Italiano."

YELLOW BOOK BY YELLOW REPORTER

Faking Newspaperman's "Confessions"—More or Less Reliable Information of Methods Not Unheard Of.

MOST people nowadays are under the necessity of seeing all public characters—Presidents, malefactors, Princesses, millionaires, actresses, ballplayers, scientists, novelists, opera singers, Emperors, candidates, show girls, philanthropists, &c.—not as they really are, but as it has suited the purposes of the newspapers to represent them. That is to say, each such public character stands behind a false image of himself, wherein his most picturesque traits, selected, arranged, and supplemented by the ingenious journalist, are formed into an artistic whole. This is the public character's "news" personality, and it is all the people ever know about him—or her.

Sometimes, to be sure, public characters make revelation of themselves in autobiographies. But generally by the time they get to the autobiographical stage they have become so obsessed with the "news personality" with which they have been endowed that it is second nature with them.

This being the case, it ought to be interesting to read the autobiography of a reporter—one of these creators of news personalities. "The Career of a Journalist," (B. W. Dodge & Co.,) is such an autobiography. The author, William Salisbury, belongs to the school which looks upon "news" chiefly as a peg to hang sensations upon—which panders cheaply to the gallery. Lacking any native endowment of fastidiousness, and having retired from the trade, he is able to be indiscreet in a quite unjournalistic fashion. He sets down frequently, for instance, the parts of the stories he was not allowed to write, (for one reason or another,) or the remotely related and insufficient facts upon which the story he did write was hung. He is, too, so nearly as to habit of mind, stage of culture, and moral standards, an average sample of a certain inferior type of American reporter that comes out of the West, that his indiscretions and revelations acquire a special value—even though one who is less indiscreet than he may take with a grain (or a pound) of salt some of those passages in which the secrets of the prison house, or what passes for such, are bared, with bold citation of names and cases.

Mr. Salisbury, who began his newspaper career in Kansas City, and continued it in Omaha and Chicago, who was refused a place by managing editors of New York dailies, who has traveled abroad and in Cuba, who served (in practice camps) in the Spanish-American war, who, as he says, has "been received as a social equal by some of the greatest people in the world, and been snubbed and mistreated by some of the most insignificant; wined and dined with the rich and famous one day, and ordered off front porches by butlers and chased by bulldogs the next"—Mr. Salisbury comes to this gloomy conclusion as the sum of his experiences:

> The biggest newspapers much resemble department stores, their chief patrons and their twin product of American commercialism. These papers have departments of all kinds—of crime, scandal, sport, religion, markets, women's clubs, drama, art, society, politics, foreign affairs—and they handle and display the most of what is most profitable. Many of the goods are shoddy, and have a false glitter, but the principal concern of the managers is to avoid damage suits. It is impossible to work long on any American paper without dealing in shoddy goods of one kind or another—in news or in political opinions. The employes, with less than one-half dozen exceptions in all America, have no more individuality than have department store workers. The reporters and correspondents, who go to many places and for many things, are as clerks. While they have more bodily liberty they have less mental liberty than clerks. The editors and their assistants who arrange and display the results of the writers' work are as window dressers. The business managers and chief editors are as floor walkers. They may discharge the subordinates at any time. All the profits go to the stockholders.

Mr. Salisbury, be it observed, speaks more sweepingly than his experience (limited for the most part to three Western cities) warrants, but his comparison is interesting and not entirely unfair to a certain type of newspaper enterprise. He began his own career, he says, with lofty ideals of uplifting the world, but it is plain that his natural tastes lay in the beginning in the direction of that sort of journalism which is called yellow. When he could not find "news" that is, he made it. During a dull season in Kansas City, for instance, he persuaded an ambitious Alderman to introduce an anti-cigarette ordinance, which furnished first-page material for a week. When he was hunting a job in Chicago he made a place for himself on one of the papers by hatching a plot with a Sergeant and patrolman of police to the effect that the terrified inhabitants of Chinatown (in fear of American reprisals for Boxer outrages) had carried off the chief joss from the main joss house and buried it somewhere in the suburbs secretly and by night. "Will the story be a big one?" says the Sergeant. "Sure," says the as yet newspaperless plot concoctor, "and you'll be the hero of it." And rushed off to the selected newspaper office with a "hot, exclusive story," which was promptly "confirmed" over the telephone by the Sergeant-hero. And spread on the first page. Mr. Salisbury tells with equal frankness how he lost his jobs on newspapers—usually he was, in his own words, "fired" upon being caught red-handed in a fake which could not be winked at. According to him the crime was not the fake, but the discovery.

The present reviewer assumes no responsibility for deciding upon the veracity of detail.

The thing is frankly a book of yellow journalism and yellow journalists by one of themselves. It is only fair to say that the mirror has been held up to that phase of nature at many angles less fairly revealing.

Gossip About Authors.

A friend of the Lea family recently telegraphed the McClure Company for information in regard to Homer Lea, the author of "The Vermilion Pencil," announcing at the same time the death of the latter. The publishers at once telegraphed to Los Angeles, Mr. Lea's home for the present, and were reassured by the following wire from the "deceased" novelist: "If I am dead don't know it. The report is absolutely ridiculous."

What is regarded as an unusually sprightly and attractive juvenile is soon to be published by Jacobs. Its title is "The Land of Never Was." It is the tale of three little children, who while they are blowing soap bubbles are mysteriously imprisoned inside of one of them and thus wafted up into the sky. They drift into the Mother Goose Country, where they are told why the cow jumped over the moon, why Jack and Jill went up the hill and where they gain a great deal of other odd and interesting information.

A book which is very highly regarded by all of Jacobs's readers will soon be published. It is called "The One—and I," further described as "The Story of a Novel Wooing." The action takes place in the Canadian Northwest, and the crisp, original style of the narrative is said to suggest "The Lady of the Decoration." The author is Elizabeth Freemantle.

The title chosen for Dr. S. Weir Mitchell's new Revolutionary tale, soon to be published by Jacobs, is "A Venture in 1777, a Story of Valley Forge."

"The Strength of the Hills."

Tennessee mountaineer life gives the particular flavor of romance to a new novel which will begin in the June number of Putnam's Monthly and afterward be published in book form by G. P. Putnam's Sons. The Eastern mountaineer, with his background of feuds, of moonshining, of general primitiveness, has found more than one exponent in American fiction. Among the more recent of those writers who have chosen this peculiarly promising field for the narrative of adventure are the two sisters, Mrs. Grace MacGowan Cooke and Miss Alice MacGowan, who have a plentiful supply of short stories dealing with the Tennessee mountaineers already to their credit. Their forthcoming novel, which they have called "The Strength of the Hills," is characterized by the typically stirring incidents which one would naturally expect in the wild region that they describe, told in the convincing manner that results inevitably from the long familiarity with their subject enjoyed by these authors.

"Easter in a Hospital Bed."

Twenty years ago A. C. Wheeler (Nym Crinkle) wrote a little story called "Easter in a Hospital Bed," which for its tender pathos and humanity gained wide favor. Five years ago the author died, and this year, appropriate to the season, the Irving Society of Tarrytown has published the story in the form of an Easter leaflet.

ITALIAN DRAMA BY MR. SWINBURNE

"The Duke of Gandia," Bold but Uninspired Version of Tragedy of the Hideous Borgias.

WE hate to disagree with so eminent a literary judge as Mr. Theodore Watts Dunton, but we cannot believe that "The Duke of Gandia"* represents "the zenith of Swinburne's dramatic power." It would be a dreary zenith. A striking merit of the new poem, however, is its brevity. One need not take long to make up his mind about it. This is another Borgia story, with empurpled Caesar and his cutthroat Michelotto; Pope Alexander and his Vanozza, and perennial Lucrezia among the personages. The Duke of Gandia was Francesco Borgia. The scene of the drama is Rome, the time a month or so in the exciting year of 1497. There is a great deal of frankness in Mr. Swinburne's treatment of his theme. The opening passages between Cardinal Caesar and his estimable mother recall Thomas Middleton of an earlier and naughtier age. There is nothing nastier in "The Witch." Why does the gifted septuagenarian of Fulham like to write like this?

Of course there is beauty in the poem. Swinburne cannot escape felicity of phrase. Caesar's description of his precious sister has some of the old quality:

> • • • her whose face makes pale the sun in heaven,
> Whose eyes outlaugh the splendor of the sea,
> Whose hair has all noon's wonders in its weft,
> Whose mouth is God's and Italy's one rose,
> Lucrezia.

Any lady would be proud to be thus described. But from Swinburne the eloquent hyperbole seems a faint echo. Passages of audacious blasphemy and fierce invective characterize this miniature presentment of unspeakable wickedness. We also find in it the expression "the strenuous life," which gives it a contemporaneous touch.

The plan of the little drama is daring, its effect would be horrifying if one could take it seriously. Who can? Did the Borgias, or any other folks who ever lived, think and talk like these madmen, the bestial Pope and his cubs? One must admit that the characters are vigorously conceived, that the thing does not lack force, that it has some bursts of genuine power. Caesar's consoling words to the scared Alexander after Francesco's murder are as well worth quoting as any other passage:

> Thou and I
> Will make this rent and ruinous Italy
> One. Ours it shall be, body and soul, and great
> Above all power and glory given of God
> To them that died to set thee where thou art—
> Throned in the dust of Caesar and of Christ,
> Imperial. Earth shall quail again and rise,
> Again the higher because she trembled. Rome
> So bade it be; it was, and shall be.

But what a strange revelation of the bent of mind of an aged man! Swinburne has never been a moralist, to be sure; has never sung in praise of humble virtue. His genius has reveled in the loves and sins of Queens and gods. The truth about "The Duke of Gandia" is that it has no charm that will last. It is a piece that would condemn an unknown poet beyond redemption. One might note its facility, but that would not lessen the curse. The book cannot hurt a poet of great renown, but the contemplation of its hideous subject cannot help anybody. It is a mistake.

Gunter's Magazine Changes Hands.

Street & Smith, publishers of Ainslee's, Popular, Smith's, and People's Magazines, have acquired Gunter's Magazine. With the May number the latter will appear as one of their publications. The new owners expect to maintain the past standard of Gunter's, and at the same time they will increase its size to 160 pages. At present it is an all-fiction magazine and sells for 15 cents.

*THE DUKE OF GANDIA. By Algernon Charles Swinburne. New York: Harper & Brothers. $1.25.

SPLENDID REALISM OF RENÉ BAZIN

"The Nun," a Moving Story of Slight Plot and Little Incident, Written with Delicate Art.

HARDLY a dozen persons figure in this tale with a purpose,* and it has no plot to speak of. It is, in fact, as much the tragedy of a convent as of the heroine or the villain. Both come to such sad ends and the story has so little incident that it cannot prove as attractive to those of other nationalities as to Frenchmen, who were still buying it when it was approaching its sixtieth edition. What gives it its special attractions for Frenchmen is its relation to the most contentious of political questions, and one, too, which comes closer to hearts and minds than can any other topic than religion. The necessities—real or fancied—of French politics required that French statesmen should take the control of education out of the hands of the Catholics. It was argued to be unfair to taxpayers who were not Catholics to compel them to support Catholic schools, or to compel their children to submit to "Catholic contamination." Therefore it was determined to banish religion from the Government and the State endowed schools. The State feared ignorance less than the training of priests and nuns.

Sister Justine's school was one of this class, and Pascale was one of its inmates. She was the daughter of a master weaver, of a sweet disposition, but a character so weak that she entered a convent to keep herself from temptation. Had she lived out the life she elected she would have died in the odor of sanctity, having made her little world the better for her self-denying labors. But the school is forcibly closed, and, her father having died, she is compelled to accept the hospitality of distant cousins, her only relatives. One of them betrays her, with his mother's connivance and assistance, and under the family roof. Here she lives the life of a drudge, descending even to earn a woman's most horrible wage at the compulsion of her unnatural relative. Finally she revolts, and so enrages him by her flight that he pursues and stabs her.

Those who read novels for a thrill can be assured of one in the murder chapter, and they will appreciate it all the more from the contrast with the sweet and simple chapters which have preceded. The picture of convent life is one well worth reading. Realism of this kind can only do good, and that it is veritable realism is attested from the vogue of the book in France. Falsehood never keeps the presses hot for long, and the book would have fallen flat had it been as false as the anti-Catholic prints of many kinds. From one point of view this is a Clerical pamphlet, as well as a novel, and it may be read as well for the insight it gives into this phase of France's politics as for its narrative. It is written with fine and delicate art, and the translation is good. A Frenchman could hardly appreciate what is meant by saying that the book is slow and dull. To him every page is poignant if he is sympathetic from point of view, or is enraging if anti-Clerical in politics. Americans cannot find it either, whatever their "views," and too many of them would prefer stories of action and incident. This is not a book of that sort, and the fact is plainly stated in order to commend it to those whose tastes are of another sort.

WELL WORTH REPRINTING.

Not unlike a sudden unexpected glimpse of a garden almost hidden in some bustling city street, just caught behind shouldering stone walls, silent in the midst of the thunder of traffic, comes this country journal of John Halsham's "Idlehurst," amid the crash and glitter of the passing crowd of books. It is a journal of daily happenings in a Sussex village, illustrated by many a quaint word portrait of the old and young inhabitants, the passing and the coming generation. Gardens and meadowland, cottage and the changing seasons fill the pages with a gentle Old-World beauty. A personality that belongs with the country reveals it to us. One loves the author, together with his book, and breathes the serenity of his mood as one might the flowers of his garden. The book is a reprint, having been issued in 1897, and bears the imprint of E. P. Dutton & Co. ($1.50.)

*THE NUN. (L'ISOLEE.) From the French of René Bazin of the French Academy. New York: Charles Scribner's Sons. Pp. 343.

A New Novel by Robert Chambers.

Mr. Chambers has gone back to the style of his "Iole" in the novel which will be published next Friday by D. Appleton & Co. under the title "Some Ladies in Haste." Mesmerism in a New York club furnishes him with the whimsical medium for his humorous satire. The bulk of the book is taken up with the odd experiments practiced by a clubman, who discovers himself to be a mesmeric medium, on the various types of people with whom he is thrown into daily contact. Altogether the story is in Mr. Chambers's most fanciful vein, and quite different in character and treatment from his two last books, "The Fighting Chance" and "The Younger Set." Wallace Morgan, the creator of "Fluffy Ruffles," has furnished the de luxe volume in which "Some Ladies in Haste" will appear with numerous pen and ink sketches. It contains also full-page illustrations by A. B. Wenzell and a colored inlay by G. C. Wilmhurst.

The Inheritance of Mankind.

Since Dr. Francis Galton proposed, four years ago, the new term "eugenics" as standing for a new division of sociological science, there have been an increasing number of attempts to make more thorough and practical "the study of all the influences that improve the inborn qualities of the human race, and tend to develop them to the utmost advantage." Heredity, of course, is the particular branch of physiological science that has called for the most exhaustive and continuous investigation in this line of research, and there have not been lacking conflicting theories, based presumably on observed data, put forth in explanation of the laws governing hereditary transmission of physical and mental peculiarities in the individual. The latest study of the subject is contained in a book published to-day by G. P. Putnam's Sons, entitled "Heredity," and written by J. Arthur Thomson, M. A., Professor of Natural History in the University of Aberdeen, author of "The Science of Life," &c. In his book Prof. Thomson states the net results of scientific research and experiment in the field that he has made his own. This, as he states in his preface, he has tried to do without partisan handling of any theme. He does not conceal his own position in regard to the general subject under discussion, declaring his adherence to Weismannism, that is, to the conviction that "we do not know of any instance of the transmission of an acquired character" from parent to offspring.

PASSING PROTESTANTISM.

Dr. Newman Smyth has written a book in his "Passing Protestantism and Coming Catholicism" which will interest every one to whom the present change and stir in religious matters make any appeal. Dr. Smyth believes that in the modernists within the present Catholic Church, upon whom and the movement generally now rests the Pope's anathema, resides the hope of the world. Protestantism, with its creeds and churches, is wearing out. Protestantism, says the doctor, does not control the forces of life, it no longer holds passionate sway over men's hearts. With the Roman Church this is not so. But the Roman Church is laboring too far behind the knowledge of the world. Its spirit resides, so to say, in an outworn body, while with Protestantism it is the spirit itself which is outworn. In the second part, the chapters on modernism, Dr. Smyth gives us a clear picture of what the new thinkers in the Church of Rome are accomplishing. It is interesting reading, and will appeal to the reader as being the careful conclusions of a fine and balanced mind. Possibly the future Church is to be something quite other than Dr. Smyth's prophecy. But the book, which bears the imprint of Charles Scribner's Sons, ($1,) is a valuable document along the way.

Robert Herrick, an Idealist.

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Henry, Viscount of Turenne, was born in 1611 and was several years the senior of his famous rival and friend, the Prince of Conde. The lives of these two men, the foremost commanders of their age, like their characters, present strange and forcible contrasts. Turenne fought for honor and principle, for the love of command, the glory of victory, and, we sometimes suspect, for the grim pleasure he found in the game of war. Conde, in certain ways more dashingly brilliant as he was surely less reliable, was an intriguer in keeping with the prevailing spirit of his time. Turenne was the younger son of the Duke of Bouillon. The Prince of Conde was one of the two or three most powerful nobles in all France, a man whose wealth and inherited station made it not unnatural that he should dare to wage war against the reigning family. It is said of Turenne that, in spite of his many honors, he died poorer than when he entered the arena. He refused to take even the plunder that might rightly have been his, according to the accepted ethics of the age.

These two Generals fought sometimes side by side and sometimes as the Generals of opposed forces, especially during the civil wars of the New Fronde. When fighting in opposition it is said that they made it a custom, after each combat, to exchange letters, explaining manœuvres as one might explain a hand of whist at the end of a game. In this connection it is interesting to cite the remark of a sagacious contemporary, who said that he would prefer to be with Conde at the end of a battle, with Turenne at the end of a campaign.

It was characteristic of Turenne to be no more depressed by defeat than elated by victory. He was frank to admit his own mistakes, and quietly confident of retrieving them. At the opening of the New Fronde Turenne lost a battle, and was taken prisoner—a disagreeable position from which he soon escaped. When asked afterward how it was that he had lost this action, even against superior forces, he briefly replied, "By my own fault."

Later, by a turn of events, Turenne found himself in charge of the royal army, protecting the young King and the Court in its exile from Paris. In one instance he saved the King from capture by discovering a trick manœuvre in the nick of time, and with a few men holding a bridge against overwhelming numbers. All he said about this matter in a letter written immediately afterward was: "Something has happened at Gergeau, but 'tis of no great consequence." Yet the Queen, in the presence of the entire Court, proclaimed that Turenne had "saved the kingdom" when that "something happened."

The biographer admits that his hero was less of a diplomat than a warrior, a fact of which the Marshal himself was probably quite aware. One of the best stories told in this connection relates to the negotiations pending the disruption of the Triple Alliance. Turenne unwisely intrusted a certain confidence to a lady-in-waiting, and the secret was repeated back to the King, who, unable to conceive of Turenne as having committed an indiscretion, fixed the blame on the only other man who could have known. Turenne, with characteristic honesty, confessed his fault. When some one wished to speak of the incident afterward the Marshal, who still felt the humiliation, replied, "First let us put out the candles."

To explain the politics of a period governed by the plots and counterplots of such men as Richelieu and Mazarin is entirely outside the province of a review. Suffice it to say, the complications are clearly outlined in the volume under consideration, though the explanations have judiciously been limited to such events as had a bearing on the career of the hero. One comes to understand how Catholic France and Protestant Holland were allied against Spain, and how later Spain and Holland were allied against France. It was an age of attempted conquests in which standing armies were never permitted to stand, but kept constantly at work. One even comes to comprehend how it was that the faithful Turenne once found himself at the head of a hostile Spanish army, and would not leave this command until the Spaniards were offered what he considered fair terms—which they declined to accept. In those days, more than now, politics and war were kaleidoscopic, and sovereigns broke their pledges as unceremoniously as they made them.

It was in 1658 that Turenne won what is generally considered his greatest victory—the battle of the Dunes, in which he had the assistance of English forces, and which led to the taking of Dunkirk. After this achievement he wrote to his wife, in his usual terse manner: "The enemy came to us, and, God be praised, they have been defeated. I was pretty busy all day, which has fatigued me. I wish you good night; I am going to bed"!

This victory and following actions led to the peace of Aix-la-Chapelle and the only three years of repose which Turenne had enjoyed since he first began his military career at the age of 15. It was during this period that Turenne, living quietly in Paris, devoted much time to the study of religious subjects, and, forsaking the strict Calvinism to which he had adhered all his life, became a professed Catholic. This "conversion" was the more remarkable as Turenne had sacrificed much for the sake of his Protestant convictions, even though his elder brother had become a Catholic many years before. Twice he had declined the hand of a niece of Cardinal Mazarin—though fully appreciating the advantages of such a match—on the ground that she was a Cathone and he a Protestant. As late as 1660 he had declined the office of Constable of France, the very highest honor in the gift of the King, because the office, as the sovereign explained, could be held only by a Catholic. Later it became known that Turenne was considering his change to Catholicism even at the time the King made this remarkable offer. But he would not be converted until entirely convinced. And it would seem he took this special care that his advent into the older Church might in no way be construed as a matter of "convenience."

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ONLY a few weeks ago THE NEW YORK TIMES SATURDAY REVIEW OF BOOKS contained an appreciation of the novels of Leonard Merrick, based on a careful and sympathetic reading of six of his books, with the idea that Merrick's literary fame and his message were much in the air, and an early suitable introduction of him here assured. A few of his books have been published in this country, but without much acclaim, and most of them went out of print before the habitual novel readers were aware of their unusual merit. Merrick deserves better treatment, and we feel that he is going to get it. Already there are reports of the republication of his books here, and one of the latest of them, which escaped notice in our recent review, may head the list.

"Conrad in Quest of His Youth" exhibits the talent, the courage, the admirable literary facility of its author in a new light. Here he throws realism to the winds. The story contains many veracious pictures of life, but it is not as a whole a picture of life. It is touched by fantasy and uplifted here and there by poetry and relieved by humor. Most of all Mr. Merrick is the humorist in this story. The narrative is not consecutive and the author indulges in many intimate talks with his readers which are in the way of digressions, and once, at least, he has an out and out digression, a delightful tribute to a Postmistress in Southampton Row, Bloomsbury, who resigned her post in the eighties to get married. If the lady is still living, and has seen "Conrad in Quest of His Youth," she must feel that even in the immensity of the modern world the sympathy of kindred spirits, separated by all material agencies, is ever potent.

Conrad Warrener is a fool. Every practical reader of this narrative of some passages in his experience must so decide. A fool, but touched occasionally by a divine light; a selfish sort of fool in most of his manifestations, for like so many of his hopelessly sane but fleshly brethren, he seeks only his own pleasure, for the most part, but kindly in his selfishness, an idealized hunter for the ideal. After a reasonably happy youth Conrad takes to art, and strives on the slopes of Montmartre to absorb the spirit that he recognizes, and thinks he feels, the spirit that will enable him to revolutionize the art of his own land. But presently he is forced to accept a colonial appointment, which is to make a man of him. He returns to Europe a made man at the mature age of 37, and crosses the Pont Neuf to find the past.

It is not there. There is always a more or less buoyant present across the old bridge. But as the years roll along the vanities of one age become capitalized for the entertainment of mere Philistines. Their successors are not comprehended by the aged, and at 37 Conrad felt himself a creature of an irreclaimable past. He sought the substance of early memories in England, and, after prodigious efforts, found in Tooting, not far from the Balham station, Mrs. Barchester-Bailey, plump, middle-aged, vociferous, a suburban representative of feminine British culture, fond of "literary" discussions; a mother of four bread-and-buttery children. Then the scent of chypre brought to mind an old love, but when it responded tentatively to his call, from the vasty deep of the past, he was peacefully sleeping, so that another scandal in high life was avoided.

Conrad's pale but agreeable romance proceeds until it finds a possible heroine, but it reaches no dramatic conclusion, and ends indefinitely, as all such romance must end. There is no past. But Conrad, in spite of his apprehensions, is young enough to have a present and a future. Mr. Merrick reveals new traits in this charming book, but he also permits himself a degree of freedom in the illustration of character that may occasionally shock old-fashioned readers. The charm does not lie, either, in absolute verity. It is all as whimsical as Barrie at his wildest, and like a novel by James it ends with an interrogation point. Every man who who reads the book will decide that, whatever else he may be, he is no Conrad. Few of us, in early middle life, care enough for our memories to try to revive the past. It would bring back too much we would not care to see again. "Conrad in Quest of His Youth," however, exhibits an author of distinction in an entirely new mood, no longer so purposeful in the mere portrayal of facts as in the preceding novels, but something more of the philosopher, the humorist, and the poet, than the author of "Cynthia" and "The Man Who Was Good" ever promised to be. We may not esteem this his best book, by any means, but it will not lessen our liking for his work, as it shows that his powers have not yet been measured, and that his future, like Conrad's, is of promise. Conrad, as his story ends, however, may or may not be proceeding heavenward. If the book were a jot more real we should be compelled to call it immoral.

POCKET KIPLING VOLUMES.

Two volumes, "Kim" and "The Day's Work," by Rudyard Kipling, have been issued by Doubleday, Page & Co. in their series of the Pocket Kipling. These volumes are bound in decorated leather, printed on good lightweight paper in clear type, and are excellent specimens of bookmaking. Books like this make the reader wonder why a larger and clumsier volume is ever issued or bought. In a day when so much reading is done on the trolley car or in the Subway, such a book is a boon, at once agreeable to the eye, and easy to take about.

DRIFT OF LONDON LITERARY GOSSIP

"Q." Temporarily Abandons Fiction to Write a History of English Literature—Talk of British Capital.

LONDON, April 10.—Mr. A. T. Quiller-Couch has of late been engaged in something which might be described as literary missionary work. Mr. Quiller-Couch is, of course, a novelist. However, for some little time past he has not been writing any fiction, but has worked instead at a short "History of English Literature" on rather novel lines, and has edited for the Clarendon Press a series of cheap texts of English classics for use in English elementary schools.

This temporary abandonment of his chosen field in order to devote himself to editing books for school children does certainly bear a close relation to missionary effort when we understand why Mr. Quiller-Couch has made the sacrifice. In a letter which I had from him a few days ago he explained his action to me.

"The reason," said he, "is that, as a member of our County Council down here in Cornwall, [Mr. Quiller-Couch was born in Cornwall and lives there still,] and one particularly interested in the education of poor children, I found no books that helped the teachers to introduce these children to English literature in what I considered the right way—i. e., by stimulating curiosity and amusing them.

"So I laid fiction aside for the while and tucked up my sleeves to do this little job myself.

"The short 'History of English Literature' is a protest against the false notion (on which all recent histories and textbooks have been founded) that our literature derives its parentage from Anglo-Saxon."

There is something very interesting and attractive in the idea of this accomplished writer giving up his own interests for a time for the sake of helping school children to enjoy literature. He intends soon to return to fiction, however, for he is "due to write a novel this year." For this book he has two or three subjects in his head, and has not yet, so he says, decided which one to write about. There is also another book which Mr. Quiller-Couch is "due to write," though I fear by now his admirers are grown skeptical of his ever doing it. It is the monograph on George Eliot which a London publisher has been announcing patiently for some five years.

Mr. John Galsworthy has just written what he calls a "disquisition" on Joseph Conrad in which he says of Conrad's novels: "The writing of these ten books is probably the only writing of the last twelve years that will enrich the English language to any great extent." Mr. Galsworthy gives also some biographical particulars about Conrad, which, though they are no doubt not new to many persons, are of much interest to the general public, who have, on the whole, the vaguest idea of who and what Mr. Conrad was before he became a novelist. He says: "Joseph Conrad, born of families of Polish gentry who suffered in the rebellion of 1863, sharing as a child his parents' exile, spending his early manhood as a sailor, has laid up a strange store of thought, tradition, life, and language, and on his manner of production this has stamped itself."

Two books about Queen Victoria are about to be issued. One is by Sir Theodore Martin, who is bringing out a volume called "Queen Victoria as I Knew Her," with Messrs. Blackwood. It is said to be seventy years since Sir Theodore published his first book. The other Queen Victoria book is called "Victoria Regina: Her Court and Her Subjects," and will be published by Messrs. Hutchinson in two volumes. It was written by the late Mr. Fitzgerald Molloy, whose last piece of work was to correct its proofs.

I heard some one say once that Mr. Andrew Lang had turned out a greater amount of printed matter than any other author in England. This probably was rather a glittering generality than a statement founded on sober fact. However, Mr. Lang has certainly written an amazing amount. In "Who's Who" there are some forty lines given over to the titles of his books, and any one who has attempted to find one of Mr. Lang's works among the many entries under his name in the catalogues of the British Museum has set himself a task as tedious as that which some Malaprop once described as "hunting for a camel in a haystack." Mr. Lang has, however, had time for considerable production, for, as we have been reminded—to the surprise of many—he has just entered into his sixty-fifth year.

Lady Ritchie, who knew Turgenief, and thought he looked like her own father, Thackeray, has recently written a little reminiscence of the great Russian novelist. In the course of this she tells how Turgenief promised to call upon her one day—she was then Miss Thackeray, living at her father's house in Onslow Gardens. Turgenief never came. Two days later she met him at the house of a friend, and he came straight up to her at once.

"I was so sorry that I could not come and see you," he said, "so very sorry; but I was prevented. Look at my thumbs!" and he held up both hands with his thumbs outward."

"I looked at his thumbs," says Lady Ritchie, "but I could not understand."

"See how small they are," he went on. "People with such little thumbs can never do what they intend to do, they always let themselves be prevented."

There has just been sold at auction a copy of a book with a very curious history. It is Prynne's "Historio Mastrix," the Players' Scourge, in which the author denounced plays as "sinful, heathenish, lewde, and ungodly spectacles." The Queen of the time, Charles I's Henrietta, had just herself been taking part in private theatricals, and Prynne's words were taken as a reflection on the Queen.

So poor Prynne was sentenced to pay a large fine and to lose his ears. Literary criticism amounted to something in those days!

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COUNTRY HOMES.

Charmingly illustrated from numberless photographs, most of them taken by the author herself, "Country Residences in Europe and America," (Doubleday, Page & Co., $7.50,) is a valuable book. The great places of Italy, France, and England, their effect upon each other and upon American homes, are described with charm and comprehension by the author, who has moreover drawn plans of the grounds belonging to the buildings and photographed exquisite portions, old moats and gardens, and stately approaches. For instance, the view from Mount Vernon is given, as well as the house from every side, its sun dial, its entrance gates. The interior of the houses has not been included; it is the architecture and landscape gardening to which the author has devoted her energies. A short history of the house is added in each case. There could not be a more delightful volume of the sort. The book is a folio, with large type and wide margins.

"WONDER BOOK OF THE ATMOSPHERE."

The Frederick A. Stokes Company issue in a compact little volume a very thorough and interesting account of the wonders of the atmosphere. It is written in a way to appeal to young people, but might not come amiss to older folk who do not care for a more technical work and would have some difficulty in finding anything else so comprehensive. The book is by Edwin J. Houston, Ph. D., and is similar in scope to his "The Wonderbook of Volcanoes and Earthquakes." Many interesting experiments which can easily be made at home are given by the professor, and the illustrations are numerous and excellent. The discussion of the marvels of the atmosphere leads to various stories relating to the men and women who live in it, and the book ought to be full of interest for a wide audience, written as it is in a clear and simple style with a lively appreciation of the romance of nature.

Publishing Elinor Glyn's Novels.

Duffield & Co. have acquired from the John Lane Company the publication rights of "The Visits of Elizabeth," and from Harper & Brothers those of "The Vicissitudes of Evangeline," "The Reflections of Ambrosine," "The Damsel and the Sage," and "Beyond the Rocks." By virtue of this transfer of literary property Duffield & Co. become the publishers of all of Elinor Glyn's writings yet issued in America, and will bring out in the Fall her next book, to be entitled "Elizabeth Visits America."

ANOTHER BOOK ON GEORGE MEREDITH

R. H. P. Curle Contributes Latest Exposition of Great Novelist's Work — Scarcely the Final Judgment.

THE title page of this book* bears as a motto a phrase from the famous Pilgrim's Scrip of the elder Feverel: "Our new thoughts have thrilled dead bosoms." We take this as an indication of the modesty of the author and his comprehension of the magnitude of his task. To reappraise the work of George Meredith, even in his lifetime, is certainly an undertaking that requires courage. He is, probably against his will, the idol of a cult. He was for a long term of years a prolific writer, yet much more has been written about him than he ever wrote. Yet we venture to remark that a diligent reader will find a thought or two in this book that never thrilled a dead bosom.

Mr. Curle's title is vague and not particularly suitable, for he treats of Meredith in every possible aspect, and his volume comprehends a study of all his subject's works, poetry as well as prose, with an abundance of quotation. We may as well, in this hasty glance, pass without comment the "General Introduction," with its consideration of Meredith as novelist and poet, and its freshly made definitions, as puzzling and unsatisfying as such definitions usually are, of idealism, realism, and poetry. Mr. Curle is fond of defining things that defy definition, and profuse enough in the use of his definitions quickly to satisfy the experienced reader that his new study of Meredith is not to be the final authority on the subject. But that makes no difference so long as his book is interesting and useful.

In the minds of most us, when literature is the subject, criticism and appreciation are synonymous terms. But in Mr. Curle's mind criticism judges of an author by comparing him with others, or by accepted canons, while appreciation compares him to those ideals which are our goal and his goal. This is a fine point. But when a man turns out a whole volume of literary criticism, with only one subject, he must be permitted to make a few fine points now and then. We are inclined to commend Mr. Curle's book to people who want to know something about Meredith and also to those who know much about him, and are fond of the subject, rather for its practical consideration of the qualities of the novelist's work than for its subtleties.

He divides Meredith's prose into three periods, the first—"a short exotic opening"—limited to "Farina" and "The Shaving of Shagpat," and the second including "The Ordeal of Richard Feverel," "Evan Harrington," "Sandra Belloni," "Vittoria," "The Adventures of Harry Richmond," and "Beauchamp's Career." "Rhoda Fleming" he seems to leave out of the period to which it clearly belongs as a work not on "the same level of imagination and accomplishment." He finds that the characteristic of these books, somewhat arbitrarily grouped in the second period, is "a poetical idealisation of background and figure joined to a keenly personal, yet philosophical, examination of motive and fate." Meredith, in these books, shows himself "a man so closely aware of the value of things that he has read nature from her point of view and laid bare character from our own internal knowledge." In studying nature, Mr. Curle reflects, Meredith has not become a sentimentalist, and in studying man he has not become a cynic.

"The Egoist" is in the third period, as Mr. Curle arranges the Meredith books, along with all the novels as yet unnamed. He grants the decline exhibited in "The Tragic Comedians," "Lord Ormont and His Aminta," and "The Amazing Marriage," but the period, as a whole, shows "a deepening of the purely psychological side of him, and a less comprehensive and poetical atmosphere."

The manner of the poems, he finds, is not so much bounded by the date of the composition as that of the prose. It may not be very helpful to the student to be told that Meredith, as a poet, belongs to that class "that see in nature the radiant goal of their impassioned hopes," but the idea seems new and interesting. Meredith's optimism, particularly in his poetry, as we take it, is not "of the kind that hears the clear call of a sure hope." He is also something of a mystic.

Now as to Meredith's style. Mr. Curle holds that "style is not only the medium of thought, but is in itself a factor of imagination." He gets in Meredith's style a very good example of "oneness" of thought and expression. "Oneness" is a good quality. A gentleman whose name resembles Mr. Curle's, namely, Mr. Curdle, to whose house Nicholas Nickleby escorted Miss Snevellicci on the occasion of her bespeak, discovered it in Shakespeare. But really there is nothing much to ridicule in Mr. Curle's book, and much to honestly admire. The analyses of the various novels are suggestive and illuminative.

*ASPECTS OF GEORGE MEREDITH. By Richard H. P. Curle. With a portrait after the painting by G. F. Watts. New York: E. P. Dutton & Co. $2.

LOWER CALIFORNIA AND THE UNITED STATES

OUT on the Pacific coast the desire to add Lower California to the territory of the United States will not down. During the last few months it has been raising its head again, only to be soundly thumped by the Government at Washington into temporary quietude. But the acquiescence is only temporary, and the question is bound to come up again and again until something comes of it. For when the Anglo-Saxon wants land—somebody else's land—he always gets it, in one way or another. The marvelous growth, under irrigation, of the Imperial Valley region, just west of the Colorado River, the certainty that the water of that river would make the Lower California desert equally fertile and prosperous, the fact that the tangled and bothersome international questions as to the rights to the waters of the Colorado would all be wiped away by the wiping away of the boundary line—all these truths are feeding that Anglo-Saxon yearning to possess the peninsula which for some years has been growing in the hearts of the Southern Californians.

Considering this state of affairs, Arthur Walbridge North's book on "The Mother of California," (Paul Elder & Co., New York and San Francisco. $2.) has no little timeliness. It is also a plea for the amicable acquirement of the peninsula by this country. But quite aside from these considerations the volume is one that will deeply interest all those who care for geographical and historical research and also all those who take delight in the romance of history. For wherever the Spaniard marched across American soil there is to be found romance in its highest colors. Five chapters of Mr. North's book deal with the history of the region from the sixteenth century to the present time, weaving together into a very vivid narrative the results of the author's investigations in Lower California. Three chapters deal with the natural resources and conditions of the region and its present social and political status, while the final chapter is devoted to a judicial consideration of the pro and con of its sale to the United States, with the conclusion that it would be advantageous to both countries. Mr. North writes in a graphic and interesting style, although it is marred sometimes by indulgence in a too florid rhetoric.

American Books in Australia.

More than one publisher this season has found occasion to send editions of his current publications to Australia, whose appetite for literature is apparently being satisfied by what is being turned out in the way of books in this country. As an example of the increasing demand for American books in this remotest of continents Harper & Brothers announce that they are sending editions of the following: "The Barrier," by Rex Beach; "The Settler," by Herman Whitaker; "Money Magic," by Hamlin Garland; "Walled In," by Elizabeth Stuart Phelps; "Santa Fé's Partner," by Thomas A. Janvier, and "The Squaw Man," by Edwin Milton Royle and Julie Opp Faversham.

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MR. BLISS PERRY AND WALT WHITMAN

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New York Times Saturday Review of Books:

THE publication of the second and "revised" edition of Prof. Bliss Perry's "Walt Whitman" seems to make timely a few further remarks in regard to his treatment of his subject. "God save me from my friends, I can manage my enemies myself," Whitman might well remark if he could see this book, for Mr. Perry writes professedly as a friend. The second edition repeats and emphasizes the offenses of the first. Some time ago I wrote to THE TIMES SATURDAY REVIEW calling attention to one slanderous misstatement in the first edition of this book, namely, that Whitman falsely represented to his poor friends that he was in dire want and induced them "out of their slender means to subscribe for his weekly support, and that upon his death they were surprised to find that in 1891 he had spent nearly $4,000 upon a massive tomb in Harleigh Cemetery, and that during his last illness, when he was supposed to be penniless, he had several thousand dollars in the bank." The utter falsity of this statement is shown in a letter from Thomas B. Harned, one of Whitman's closest friends, his business and legal adviser, and afterward his literary executor. It is true that Mr. Perry prints this letter in the appendix to his new edition, but he immediately discounts it by adding:

"In spite of the incredulity of Whitman's executors, I feel bound to add that conversations during 1907 with several contributors to the fund confirm me in the statement as to their surprise at the amount of Whitman's property." That some small contributor to the fund should have repented his generosity and whined about it afterward is possible, but why Mr. Perry should prefer to accept the unauthorised gossip of the street to the authoritative and definite statement of those closest to Whitman, represented by a man who was in his complete confidence and who transacted his business for him, it is hard to conceive, but that is the way history is written.

To make the matter quite clear I will quote from Harned's letter:

No one ever contributed to Whitman's "weekly support" at any time, so far as I have been able to ascertain—and I have access to original sources of information going back more than forty years. He not only always supported himself, but the evidence is conclusive that he regularly contributed to the support of his mother and other members of his family. His income, however small, was always sufficient to cover his frugal needs and expenditures. His brother George was not "unwilling to help him," and as a matter of fact was not asked to do so. Three years before he died he became very ill, and we thought the end was near, and we telegraphed to Dr. Bucke in Canada. After he called Dr. Bucke told me and Traubel that it would be absolutely necessary to supply him with a trained nurse. We knew at that time that Whitman had money in bank, and we also knew the purpose that he desired to have it used for. We also knew that Whitman's condition was such that with proper attention he might live for years, and that this additional expense would be considerable. Whitman did not have a sum of money that would justify such an extraordinary expenditure. It was only by tact and persuasion that we finally induced him to accept. He protested that it was unnecessary, and that he preferred to continue to take his chances of living and dying as theretofore. For a period of three years, and until his death, a fund was raised and used for this purpose only. It was not used for Whitman's support, and he continued to support himself so far as ordinary household expenses were concerned, until his death. During this period we had skilled nurses and sometimes day and night nurses, and thereby Whitman received every care and comfort—which undoubtedly prolonged his life. To this fund some of his friends in England and this country contributed. I am not aware that any of them were of "slender means." For a time I was treasurer of the fund, and afterward Traubel had charge of it. We have a list of the contributors, and they include names of men of world-wide fame and some of them of very large means. I do not believe in a single instance the amount contributed was a burden on the contributor. They gave freely and gladly, and as I have said before, the money was used for the above single purpose.

With regard to the tomb in Harleigh Cemetery, the lot upon which it was built was literally forced upon him by the managers of the cemetery. A stonemason called at Whitman's house and impressed him with the idea that he could build him a rough tomb for a few hundred dollars and obtained an order to build it. Shortly before Whitman's death he was handed an extraordinary bill for the tomb. I knew that he had been imposed upon, and I took charge of the matter and relieved Whitman from all further anxiety. I do not feel called upon to make any further statement with regard to the tomb except to protect the memory of Whitman against the statement that he deliberately incurred so large an expenditure. He built the tomb as much for his family as for himself. His mother, father, and brothers are buried there.

With regard to the money in bank at the time of his death, I am not aware that anybody in the world supposed that Whitman was penniless. The exact contrary was always avowed by not only himself, but his friends. It was known that he owned the Camden house, and that he had received money from royalties as well as special gifts from friends, such as Col. Ingersoll, who handed him the proceeds of his lecture on "Liberty in Literature." As before stated, he did not have such an amount of money as would have enabled him to make the extraordinary expenditures aforesaid. He did endeavor to accumulate some money for the purpose of providing for the support of his imbecile brother Eddie, who had been for some years in an institution. Whitman had always contributed one-half of the cost of his support, and his darling wish was that this brother should be provided for against all peradventure. If you will examine his will you will find that he left his money for this purpose. At that time it was thought that Eddie would live many, many years, but he died within a year or two after Walt's death, and the money went to his heirs. I regret very much that I could not have explained these matters to you before you printed your book. In the light of the above situation you will readily admit that the statements in your book are extremely mischievous.

Mr. Perry has indeed made this concession to truth; he has eliminated the slurring reference to "his brother George," and has changed the phrase "contributed out of slender means to his weekly support," to "contributed out of slender means toward providing the comforts necessary for an aged man, seriously ill."

It would be too great an encroachment upon your space even to mention all the unwarranted statements in this book—and Mr. Perry persists in his refusal to give his authorities. In his preface he says: "I do not care to have the persons who have been kind enough to assist me in a somewhat difficult task subjected to personal abuse in The Conservator, and I prefer to take the full responsibility for what I have printed." This is very generous of Mr. Perry, but no personal abuse has been offered any one in The Conservator unless to question the authority for Mr. Perry's statements is personal abuse.

That anonymous libelers of the dead should desire to preserve their anonymity is not surprising; that Mr. Perry should aid and abet them in this, because they assisted him, raises a delicate question of ethics, but surely anonymous testimony is of little value.

On Page 123 of the first edition is the statement that "He persuaded one man of letters, then recently married, to intrust to him the whole of a slender fortune, which he straightway lost in speculation. In such transactions poets are rarely at their best." It is to be hoped the poets appreciate this compliment. In the new edition Mr. Perry changes the words "a slender fortune" to "his small savings," which change seems to serve no particular purpose. In the appendix, however, he states that he has heard of the existence of a receipt in full for this money, which he "has not been permitted to see." Now, I know where that receipt is and I know he never applied to its custodian for permission to see it, and yet he retains the libelous charge in the text practically unchanged.

There are more instances of these false charges, but enough has been said to indicate the untrustworthiness of the book as a guide to Whitman's career. The second edition is a distinct aggravation of the original offense, as now there is no possible excuse for Mr. Perry not knowing the facts.

In the first edition, Page 278, is a comparison between Whitman and Jean Jacques Rousseau—a most absurd comparison; it is this: "Each man wrote superbly about paternity and each deserted his own children." This statement is discredited by the very letter—his only source of information that there were any children—from which he quotes, Page 45: "Though unmarried I have had six children—two are dead—one living, Southern grandchild; fine boy; writes me occasionally—circumstances (connected with their fortune and benefit) have separated me from intimate relations."

There is surely nothing in this to indicate desertion, and if Perry had any other source of information he failed to mention it. In the new edition the passage stands: "Each man wrote superbly about paternity, although neither man, as far as is now known, ever acknowledged or supported the children which he says was born to him:" This adds absurdity to the former offense, because in the letter quoted from he acknowledges having had the children, and shows clearly that a more definite acknowledgment would have tended to deprive them of support. The most offensive feature of the paragraph, however, is the comparison with Rousseau, who admitted that he had permitted his children to be sent to a foundling asylum. The allegation is wholly unwarranted.

It is impossible to overestimate the harm which has been done and will be done by this malicious writing to the reputation of America's greatest poet. Mr. Perry's reputation, and even more the reputation of the position he holds, naturally makes what he says, in the opinion of the public, definitive and final, and undoubtedly it will be accepted, as he said in the extract from The Nation, printed on the cover of the new edition: "The volume will probably take its place as the sane and authoritative life of Whitman for many years to come." So much the more pity—so much the more shame—that it is scandalously and libelously inaccurate.

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Books of Travel and History Leading Features in the Season's Publications—Interesting Mss. Discovered.

ANNE HOLLINGSWORTH WHARTON'S "Italian Days and Ways," which the Lippincotts published late in 1906, is going into a fourth edition at once. Miss Wharton in this book gives delightfully familiar glimpses of Genoa, Venice, Florence, Rome, Naples, Sorrento, and other cities and towns less well known about. The narrative is in the form of letters, and there are characters who talk and act like Anne Warner's in the books in which we see Europe with "Uncle John." The publishers are soon to receive the manuscript of a companion volume of semi-fiction and semi-travel, this time covering England, and particularly Devon and Cornwall, which Miss Wharton has recently visited. She takes the people of her "Italian Days and Ways" to this new field. The book is to be freely illustrated from photographs, and it will be published in the Fall.

The John C. Winston Company will publish shortly a new book by C. H. Forbes-Lindsay, whose volumes of travel have been commended for their keen observation, and who has been lately writing a number of magazine articles on important public works carried on by the Government. "Washington, the City and the Seat of Government," is the title, and the book is the latest addition to the series of Photogravure Illustrated Books, which this house issues in handsome style. Mr. Forbes-Lindsay had been frequently struck by the erroneous ideas prevalent regarding the history of our National capital, and when he became familiar with the subject found that the City of Washington has up to this time never received justice, even from those who tried to tell its romantic story.

An English book which should prove of uncommon interest to Americans is "George III. as a Man, Monarch, and Statesman," by Beckles Willson, to which the Jacobs have obtained the rights for this country. Mr. Willson writes as an unbiased critic and gives a clear, readable, and sympathetic account of the man, with what is probably of more importance than anything else, a study of his real influence upon the history of the time.

There are two recently discovered new sources for letters, diaries, and papers of Salmon P. Chase, Secretary of the Treasury under Lincoln, and afterward Chief Justice. A large quantity of this material, as a result of Albert Bushnell Hart's and James Ford Rhodes's investigations came to light and made its way into the Library of Congress. This seems to have been worked over by Judge Warden when he wrote his biography of Chase shortly after the death of the Chief Justice, in 1873, and at least a portion of it was found in the vaults of a safe deposit company in Washington, where it had laid unclaimed for many years. It was to be had for the accumulated charges, which were advanced by Mr. Rhodes. Another lot, of scarcely less importance, was sold many years ago by J. W. Schuckers, the author of another biography of Chase, to the late Brinton Coxe of this city, who at his death presented it to the Historical Society of Pennsylvania. These papers have been boxed up for a long time, and Dr. Ellis Paxson Oberholtzer, in connection with his biography of Jay Cooke, was the first to go through them carefully. He found much entirely new material, parts of which are soon to appear in Scribner's Magazine. The papers are said to throw important light upon the relations of Lincoln and the able Secretary, who would have been so willing to have taken his chief's place as the directing genius of the war.

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The Lippincotts will publish late in the Summer or in the early Fall "Beau Brummell and His Times; the Last of the Beaux," by Roger Boutet de Monvel. This work will be an important chapter in the annals of dandyism. Knowledge of this picturesque character was increased by Mansfield's play. An intimate companion of the Prince of Wales, afterward George IV., he was regarded in his day as the very "glass of fashion and the mold of form." The volume will be illustrated from photographs fully and handsomely.

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The J. B. Lippincott Company will issue shortly a new edition of "The Heart of Lynn," by Mary Stewart Cutting, whose novel, "The Wayfarers," is now running in McClure's Magazine. "The Heart of Lynn" was first published in 1904.

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The Lippincotts have in hand new editions of Mrs. A. L. Wister's recent Streckfuss translation, "The Lonely House," and Frank Danby's "Pigs in Clover." It is the third of the translation and the sixth of the Danby novel. The interest in "Pigs in Clover" is temporarily increased by the appearance of Mrs. Frankau's new story, "The Heart of a Child."

Painting in the Last Half Century.

The last half of the nineteenth century forms an epoch in the history of painting that has not often been analyzed and described from its inception to its latest expression by writers on modern art. John Constable, the famous English landscape painter, predicted some eight or more years ago that English art would cease to exist by about the middle of the century, while a similar extinction seemed to threaten the French school at approximately the same time. In the former country, however, the Pre-Raphaelite Brotherhood sprang into being at this crucial period, while in France simultaneously the impressionists. The advent of these two original forces, for as such they must be counted, gave a new and vital impetus to the art of painting in both countries, the results from which are still in evidence. It is this phase of art which J. E. Phythian treats in a book published to-day by E. P. Dutton & Co. under the title "Fifty Years of Modern Painting." Half of the book is devoted to Pre-Raphaelitism and the French impressionism, followed by exhaustive chapters on "Painting in France," "Other Countries," and "Painting in Great Britain," all given in a way that is intended to meet the requirements of the expert as well as the general reader.

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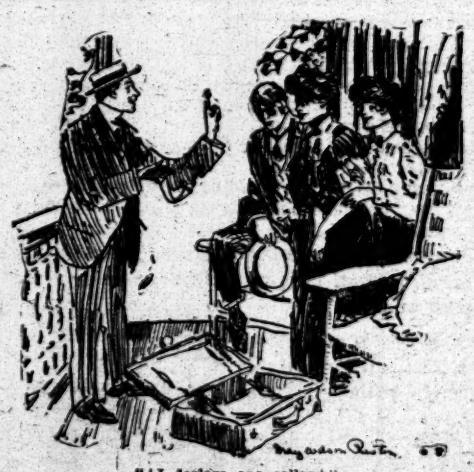

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Easter Will See the Issue of Many Publications—Serious Titles Predominate—Some New Editions.

BOSTON, April 17.—The myriad errors publicly made in construing the simple circular announcing the coming formation of the Houghton Mifflin Company almost make one skeptical as to the theory that the free-born adult American can read, so complex and so droll are they, and the next house which attempts to change its name and style will probably set the new words on its title pages and let the world discover them at its leisure. Yet, after all, the kind intention of the very worst blunderers was evident, and loving favor is rather to be chosen than correct punctuation, and so there is content at No. 4 Park Street.

Easter Saturday will bring a choice company of books, beginning with Miss Brown's "Rose MacLeod," and including Mr. John Corbin's "Which College for the Boys?" Mr. T. R. Sullivan's "Lands of Summer," Mr. Sedgwick's "The New American Type," Mr. Havelock Ellis's "The Soul of Spain," and Mr. William Roscoe Thayer's "Italica" and his "A Short History of Venice," originally issued by the Macmillan Company. This book attracted so much attention when it was first published that it is hardly necessary to remind any one interested in history of its unique literary quality.

Mr. Arlo Bates's "The Intoxicated Ghost," which also comes Saturday, contains nine stories—one dealing with double consciousness; one giving a very liberally conceived account of the possibilities of amateur deception of the senses, and one touching on the problem of life as it presents itself to a Russian patriot. The title story is a delightful absurdity.

"The Life of Alice Freeman Palmer" and the new and enlarged edition of Mrs. Sutherland Orr's "Life and Letters of Robert Browning" give the Saturday group its biographical element. Many new letters and some other fresh matter have been added to Mrs. Orr's book, and it has been edited by Dr. Frederic G. Kenyon.

The Boston Expression Company is bringing out "Browning and the Dramatic Monologue," by Dr. S. S. Curry, President of the School of Expression. Its sub-title, "Nature and Interpretation of an Overlooked Form of Literature," indicates that it is addressed to those readers who persist in regarding Browning as difficult, and it seems well adapted to their wants.

Mr. Charles Felton Pidgin and Mrs. Gertrude Atherton are no longer to have the character and career of Hamilton as their undisputed, exclusive field of controversy, for Miss Mary Johnston, probably quite unconscious of their existence, has selected the contest between Democrat and Federalist as the historical foundation of her coming story to be issued in this country in July by the Houghton Mifflin Company, and in England by the Messrs. Constable. Rural Virginian scenes and personages will give the relieving contrast to the political passages, and there is to be a love story.

The Mayhew Publishing Company is this week bringing out "Twin Starrs," by Mr. J. Breckenridge Ellis, a story having an American amateur genealogist for its hero, lovely twins for its heroines, and the town of Kentuckyville, Mo., for its scene. It is a lively trifle open to suspicion of meaning to amuse at the expense of a well-known Philadelphia family, thinly disguised as the Buckneys.

Mr. Richard W. Badger is about to publish "Home Memories," by Mr. Eli Barber, a new writer who sets himself to describe child life on a farm in Central New York in the days when a mother in Israel awoke no surprise by saying at a quilting, "All of my children have had the measles except my five little girls." The feature which makes the book worth while is its faithful picture of a child's life and thoughts during the much maligned period when obedience to all adults was exacted from all children. Its preface ends with an enthusiastic tribute to the President. Soon it will be necessary to find an abbreviation for that phrase, so frequently are the tributes offered.

Mr. Bliss Carman's "The Making of Personality" is attracting much attention among teachers and college instructors because of its insistence upon the value of physical exercise as a means of mental and moral training. He would have athletics part of the regular school and university course.

The members of the Arts and Crafts Society, that energetic little flock of the elect, are eagerly expecting "The Arts and Crafts of the Middle Ages," by Mrs. Julia De Wolf Addison, to be published by Messrs. L. C. Page & Co., with many illustrations in color and duogravure. Mrs. Addison is one of the founders of the society, and her especial work between the production of her books is embroidery, illumination on vellum, and silversmith's work. The church at Hankow, China, has a chalice from her hands, and other pieces of her work may be found in American churches.

Signor Fernando Fontana, the Italian dramatist, is translating Mr. Arthur Stringer's "Sappho in Leucadia," intending to produce it very soon. It will be remembered that this poem was published last year by Messrs. Little, Brown & Co.

When the Rev. Joseph Henry Crooker's "The Church of To-day" comes to the laity of the three denominations publishing it, they will probably be as much surprised by its admissions as to the unfortunate present relations of the Church and the people as by its aggressive assertion of the indispensability of a well organized and powerful Church as an element in highly civilized society. The recent encyclical is hardly more spirited in its refusal to accept the modern theory that the Church is a fifth wheel to the coach, yet the early chapters, "Religion Grows, but the Church Declines," "Obstacles in the Way of the Church," and "The Present Situation" accurately echo the most severe arraignments of Church methods. Very seldom is a book so fortunate in its opportunity for exercising widespread influence. Will the opportunity be fruitful?

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History and Biography.

THE LIFE AND LETTERS OF GEORGE BANCROFT. By M. A. De Wolfe Howe. 8vo. New York: Charles Scribner's Sons. Two volumes. $4.

ANCIENT JERUSALEM. By Selah Merrill. 8vo. New York: Fleming H. Revell & Co. $6.

PIONEER DAYS ON PUGET SOUND. By Arthur A. Denny. 12mo. Seattle: The Alice Harriman Company.

ALEXANDER H. STEPHENS. (American Crisis Biographies.) By Louis Pendleton. 12mo. Philadelphia: George W. Jacobs & Co. $1.25.

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HOME MEMORIES. By Eli Barber. 12mo. Boston: Richard G. Badger.

THE PHILOSOPHY OF LOYALTY. By Josiah Royce. 12mo. New York: The Macmillan Company. $1.50.

LEAF AND TENDRIL. By John Burroughs. 12mo. Boston: Houghton, Mifflin & Co. $1.10.

LIMBO. By Vernon Lee. 12mo. New York: John Lane Company. $1.50.

MICHEL DE MONTAIGNE. (Pioneers in Education Series.) By Gabriel Compayre. 12mo. New York: Thomas Y. Crowell & Co. 90 cents.

LYRICS AND LANDSCAPES. By Harrison Morris. 12mo. New York: The Century Company.

POEMS. By Marion L. Clarke. 12mo. Worcester, Mass. The Blanchard Press.

NARCISSUS. By Grance Denio Litchfield. 12mo. New York: G. P. Putnam's Sons.

YOLANDA OF CYPRUS. By Cale Young Rice. 12mo. New York: The McClure Company. $1.25.

KIMONO BALLADES. By Charles Coleman Stoddard. 12mo. New York: Calkins & Co.

Religion.

CHRISTIAN PRINCIPLES. By G. Campbell Morgan. 12mo. New York: Fleming H. Revell & Co. 50 cents.

ANOTHER MILE, AND OTHER ADDRESSES. By J. Wilbur Chapman. 12mo. New York: Fleming H. Revell & Co. 50 cents.

THE CHRISTIAN FAITH AND THE OLD TESTAMENT. By John M. Thomas. 12mo. New York: Thomas Y. Crowell & Co. $1.

HOW DOES THE DEATH OF CHRIST SAVE US? By Henry C. Mabie. 12mo. Philadelphia: American Baptist Publication Society. 50 cents.

THE CHURCH OF TO-DAY. By Joseph Henry Crooker. 12mo. Boston: The Pilgrim Press.

Books in Demand.

The Circulating Department of the New York Public Library gives the following as the most popular books of the week ended April 14: Adult Fiction—Burnett's "The Shuttle," De Morgan's "Somehow Good," London's "Iron Heel." Juvenile Fiction—Alcott's "Little Women," Clemens's "Prince and Pauper," Barbour's "Tom, Dick, and Harriet." Non-Fiction—Ibsen's "Plays," Hall's "Three Acres and Liberty," Cromer's "Modern Egypt."

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At the request of a number of our readers we republish the poem "Each in His Own Tongue," by Prof. William Herbert Carruth:

EACH IN HIS OWN TONGUE.

"A fire-mist and a planet,
A crystal and a cell,
A jellyfish and a saurian,
And caves where the cavemen dwell;
Then a sense of law and beauty,
And a face turned from the clod—
Some call it Evolution,
And others call it God.

"A haze on the far horizon,
The infinite, tender sky,
The ripe, rich tint of the cornfields,
And the wild geese sailing high—
And all over upland and lowland
The charm of the goldenrod—
Some of us call it Autumn,
And others call it God.

"Like tides on a crescent sea beach,
When the moon is new and thin,
Into our hearts' high yearnings
Come welling and surging in—
Come from the mystic ocean,
Whose rim no foot has trod—
Some of us call it Longing,
And others call it God.

"A picket frozen on duty—
A mother starved for her brood—
Socrates drinking the hemlock,
And Jesus on the rood;
And millions who, humble and nameless,
The straight, hard pathway trod—
Some call it Consecration,
And others call it God."

A. R. HUSSEY.—Will THE NEW YORK TIMES SATURDAY REVIEW OF BOOKS kindly reprint the poem beginning, "Build a little fence of trust about to-day"?

The author of the poem asked for is Mary Frances Butts, and the lines are as follows:

"Build a little fence of trust around to-day,
Fill the space with loving work and therein stay.
Look not through the sheltering bars upon to-morrow,
God can help thee bear what comes of joy or sorrow."

S. R. H.—Will you kindly tell me through your columns whether there is any historical authority for the following statement on Page 103 of Mrs. Atherton's "Ancestors"?

"'The best we can do is to descend irrelevantly from Washington, Hamilton, or Jefferson,' said Isabel, 'only we have not reached the stage where we dare to acknowledge it on our coat of arms. The illusions of the American youth must be preserved. Even the fact that one of our Presidents was a son of Aaron Burr is still to be read only in the grand volume of unwritten history. My father was a sort of walking edition of that work.'"

The author's own words show that she has no historical authority for the statement. We believe it is utterly unfounded. The fathers of our Presidents are all accounted for, and Aaron Burr is not one of those fathers. He has been the subject of very bitter abuse and a great deal of misrepresentation. The author of "Ancestors" does not make this statement herself, but puts it in the mouth of one of the characters in her book.

JOHN RAFFERTY.—Kindly inform me through the columns of your valuable journal who was the author of "Darby and Joan"?

The ballad "Darby and Joan" was written by Henry Woodfall, printer of The Public Advertiser, in Paternoster Row, Master of the Stationers Company in 1766, and at the time of his death, in 1769, a Common Councilman of many years' standing. He had been apprenticed to John Darby of Bartholomew Close in 1701, and Darby and his wife were the subjects of the poem, which was first printed in The Gentleman's Magazine for March, 1735, under the heading "The Joys of Love Never Forgotten." Woodfall printed for Sir Philip Francis eight sheets of his translation of Horace. Henry Sampson Woodfall, his son, succeeded him as printer of The Public Advertiser. In this newspaper appeared the famous "Junius" letters, which were attributed, among others, to Sir Philip Francis, who had been a classmate of Woodfall at St. Paul's School. Woodfall, however, is said to have declared that Francis, to his certain knowledge, never wrote a line of "Junius."

Answers from Readers.

A. H. CHURCHILL.—"R. H. E." in your issue of March 28, makes inquiry concerning the following:

"Oh! this sittin' up;
I'm tired of sittin' up."

These bear some resemblance to the humorous poem which I think appeared in either Puck or Judge about twenty years ago.

I have forgotten all except the first verse, which went about as follows:

"I hate this a-sittin' up, a-sittin' up, a-sittin' up,
I hate this a-sittin' up, wus'n dirt.
I'd like to lie abed till the mornin' sun was red,
And 'f I didn't git up 't all, 'twouldn't hurt."

Other verses followed in a similar vein, ending in the portrayal of a heaven in which the blissful sleeper is provided with an angelic attendant whose sole duty is to awaken him at intervals, which summoning he is at liberty to disregard.

I hope that this may furnish a clue to "R. H. E.," but even if it is a wrong scent it may result in bringing to light the remaining verses, which I am desirous of recovering.

A. B. C.—In reply to Little Billy Hay in your issue of March 28, asking for the poem "Calor Joe," I would say that the poem (twenty verses in all) was published by Appleton in 1859 in a volume called "My Recitations," by Cora Urquhart Potter. The author of the poem is George R. Sims, an English writer. It may also be found in No. 2 of Wehman Brothers' "Popular Recitations."

C. S. P.—The song asked for by Thomas Brennan is a very old one. I heard it over sixty years ago in New Jersey, where it was sung to the tune of "All Around My Hat I Wear a Weeping Willow."

A copy of the song has been received at this office, and will be mailed to Mr. Brennan if he will send his address.

JOHN F. GENUNG.—In answer to "Little Billy Hay," in number for Saturday, March 28. The poem for which he asks, which begins

"There were three sailors of Bristol City
Who took a boat and went to sea,"

is by Thackeray. It may be found in the volume of Christmas Stories, &c., Vol. XX. of Houghton, Mifflin & Co.'s Illustrated Library Edition, page 353. The title there given is "Little Billee." The poem may also be found in Bryant's Library of Poetry and Song, first edition, page 706, and in any complete edition of Thackeray's works.

R. L. C. WHITE.—The poem "There Is No Death," concerning which S. M. H. asks for information, has had a singular history. It was written in the Spring of 1863 by James L. McCreery, who was at that time editor of The Delaware County (Iowa) Journal, and was first published in Arthur's Home Magazine, Philadelphia, in its issue for July, 1863. It was extensively copied, and immediately became very popular, and, like many other verses by little-known authors, was ascribed to various eminent poets. The cause of its being attributed to Bulwer is one of the "curiosities of literature." A man named Eugene Bulmer wrote an article on "Immortality" for The Chicago Farmers' Advocate, and concluded it by quoting McCreery's poem, without credit. A Wisconsin paper clipped the poem, with the signature "Eugene Bulmer," from The Farmers' Advocate, and reprinted it. Then another paper copied it from the Wisconsin paper, a lazy typesetter abbreviating the signature to "E. Bulmer." Then it was copied by still another paper, with an "intelligent compositor" who, having never heard of "E. Bulmer," naturally supposed that he had discovered a typographical error, and so credited the poem to "E. Bulwer." Thus began the ascription of McCreery's verses to Lord Bulwer, which has persisted to the present day, notwithstanding the fact that some one who knows the facts occasionally takes the trouble to correct the error. The poem has been quoted in Congress, and has thus been embalmed in The Congressional Record as Bulwer's, and has been included in a number of the fake "collections" to which I recently referred in your columns, always credited to Bulwer. A volume of Mr. Creery's poems was published by Putnam in 1883, in which was included "There Is No Death." In preparing the volume for publication Mr. McCreery revised this poem so that the version in the book ("Songs of Toil and Triumph") differs materially from the version originally appearing in Arthur's Home Magazine. "S. M. H." will find the poem, printed in accordance with the author's revision, in "Poems You Ought to Know," and in the third volume of Carman's "The World's Best Poetry."

The lines which "J. L." slightly misquotes are, when correctly given:

"Come to me, darling; I'm lonely without thee;
Daytime and nighttime I'm dreaming about thee."

They are the beginning of a poem variously known as "The Exile to His Wife" and "Come to Me, Darling." The author was a young Irishman named Joseph Brenan, (frequently misspelled "Brennan,") who, having been compelled to leave Ireland on account of having been implicated in a resurrectionary plot, came to America. He reached New Orleans in 1849, and was for several years employed on The New Orleans True Delta, in which paper the poem was first published. Brenan died in New Orleans May 28, 1857, being at the time editor of The New Orleans Times. The poem in question is given in Johnson's "Famous Single and Fugitive Poems," Coates's "Fireside Encyclopedia of Poetry," and Carman's "The World's Best Poetry."

SAMUEL HANAWAY.—"The Leper" and "The Shunamite" asked for by M. J. F. in the Queries of March 21 are among the sacred poems written by the American writer Nathaniel Parker Willis, 1807-1867.

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F. W.—Your correspondent E. Julian will find that "Leigh Hunt as Poet and Essayist," selected and edited, with a biographical introduction, by Charles Kent, is included in the "Chandos Classics," published by F. Warne & Co., 36 East Twenty-second Street, New York, at 75 cents.

Appeals to Readers.

H. M. C.—Can any of your readers give me any information about a poem, published in 1864, which began like this:

"Another year has vanished away
Like the rising mist of early day;
Minute by minute it ripples on—
Minute by minute the year has gone."

There are eighteen lines more.

H. M. C.—A poem was published in a magazine somewhere about 1826 under the title "My Lady's Chamber"—at least I think that was the title, and begins:

"Room where my loved one sleeps,
Room where my spirit keeps"—

Can any of your readers help me find the poem?

C. W. C.—A quotation which it is impossible for me to place has been in my memory for a week past. I shall be grateful if you can inform me whether it has a context or associations, whatever they may be, or whether it is a vague memory of little consequence. The line is this:

"Now praise we noble men and our fathers who went before us."

F. C.—Can any of your readers help me to find a little quatrain published some years ago in The Smart Set? I have been looking for it for some years, and unless some one has it tucked away in a scrapbook I am afraid I shall have to give it up. As nearly as I remember it it ran as follows. The stars fill in the missing words:

"A cook once spoiled the dinner of an Emperor of men,
. . . . . and then
The Emperor made history,
And nobody blamed the cook."

E. R.—Will any of your readers tell me in what poem occurs the reference to "the patient East" which

"Saw the legions thunder past
And plunged in thought again"?

C. A. H.—Will you kindly answer the following questions:

What English poet wrote a poem having either as its title or theme the following:

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A revised edition of "American Insects," comprising the fifth volume in their "American Nature Series, is published this week by Henry Holt & Co. The book is by Prof. Vernon L. Kellogg, whose "Darwinism To-day" is reported by the New York Public Library as being the most popular of non-fiction books. Prof. Kellogg's latest work covers the entire American insect world, including moths, butterflies, and beetles, to which separate volumes are usually devoted, and contains a brief additional chapter on "Reflexes, Instincts, and Intelligence."

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A sea story, written somewhat in the Stevensonian vein, by W. C. Morrow, a Western poet, is now running serially in Success, and will be published in book form this Autumn by the Frederick A. Stokes Company. A new edition, in response to cable orders from Australia, is being published of "Travers," a story of the San Francisco earthquake, by Miss Sara Dean.

During the first week in May Moffat, Yard & Co. will publish "Religion and Medicine," the book setting forth the methods and principles underlying what is known as the Emmanuel Church Movement of Boston, by the Rev. Elwood Worcester, D. D., Ph. D.; the Rev. Samuel McComb, M. A., D. D., and Isador H. Coriat, M. D. Two books which were announced to be published this Spring have been postponed until the early Autumn. They are "Ibsen as He Should be Read," by Edwin Bjorkman, and "Surgical Memoirs," by James G. Mumford, M. D.

Marjorie Bowen's novel of Southern Italy, "The Sword Decides," is published to-day by The McClure Company.

Doubleday, Page & Co. have decided to withhold the publication of "Sowing Seeds in Danny," by the new Canadian humorist, Mrs. Nellie L. McClung, until July 15. The book is especially appropriate for Summer reading.

Two books which will be published this month by G. P. Putnam's Sons are another volume of the "Shelburne Essays," the "Fifth Series," by Paul Elmer More. As explained in an article in the current number of Putnam's Monthly, these essays gain their title from the place in which their author planned them—Shelburne, where, in a deserted farm house, he lived a hermit's life for two years with his dogs and his books. The title of the other book is "The Way of the Woods. A Manual for the North Country Sportsman," by Dr. Edward Breck. Next month the following, in two volumes, will be published as number three in the "French Classics for English Readers": Molière—"The Affected Misses," "Don Juan," "Tartuffe, the Misanthrope," "The Doctor by Compulsion," "The Miser," "The Tradesman Turned Gentleman," "The Learned Ladies," a new translation, the verse plays being for the first time rendered into English verse, by Curtis Hidden Page, Ph. D., Professor of Romance Languages in Columbia University, with an introduction by Prof. Brander Matthews.

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